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WASHINGTON.

Senator Beck Makes a Speech Against Subsidies.

THE SHIP RAILWAY MEASURE.

The New Chinese Minister Presented to the President—Secretary Manning's Intentions—The Tariff Question—Capital Notes.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Frye obtained unanimous consent to take up the Fourth of July claims bill, which was adopted as presented.

The postoffice appropriation bill was then taken up, Beck having the floor. The postal subsidy question, he said, had nothing to do with the postal service, but simply looked to the building up of our commercial relations. Appropriation bills should not include new legislation. He insisted that it was a bad policy for republicans to force an administration to adopt provisions against which the president, the postmaster general and the house of representatives all protested. The senator from Maine (Frye) had sought to make the foreign mail provision a mandatory one, and the postmaster-general had shown to the committee that it would be so detrimental to postal service that a majority of the committee had not been able to support it. The amendment proposed by the committee limited the postmaster [illegible], however, to American vessels, and he was to make contracts for five years. Senators on the other side, Beck said, had not been slow to endeavor to embarrass the administration for political advantage, but they were going too far in endeavoring to force on the president and postmaster-general, notwithstanding their protest, a policy that they had shown was not for the good of the public service, and which would only result in giving bounty or subsidy to a few persons. He dwelt with emphasis on the spectacle of an active commercial people [illegible] their mails to lie at the postoffice day after day waiting for a slow subsidized vessel to sail, while there was a swift vessel at the dock ready to carry the mails at once. Under the proposed arrangement the postmaster-general might know that a foreign ship which was ready to sail would insure delivery of mail five or even ten days earlier than a slow one, yet he would be compelled to allow the mails to wait for days until a slow vessel was ready to sail. The matter was rendered more extraordinary when we remembered that the swift vessel was willing to take the mail for one-tenth the compensation which would be paid to the slow vessel. Yet the postoffice department was required to see that the mails were carried with expedition.

The object of this proposed amendment was to give a bounty to certain steamship lines, in the hope that trade would thus be built up. This was a matter not for the postoffice department, but for the senate committee on commerce. The present bill was the postoffice appropriation bill, not a bill to develop commerce.

EFFECT OF SUBSIDIES.

As the effect of subsidies, Beck quoted a variety of statistics to show that subsidies had never increased our foreign commerce—not excepting the Pacific Mail subsidy, of which, he said, nobody was proud, and of which nothing had come but corruption. Good administration of the postoffice department required that the mails should be carried in the swiftest vessels. Ninety-nine per cent of our mails would, in any case, be carried independently of this proposed subsidy, and would cost not one half the amount required by his proposition to carry what would be covered by the amendment.

Continuing, Beck said the object of appropriating this $800,000 was not to benefit the mails, but to put money in the pockets of a few men, or corporations who own American vessels and had a monopoly of the coastwise trade. It was an attempt to increase appropriations beyond the amount which the postmaster-general said he could well use. It was against the course recommended by the postmaster-general and the president. It was making the postoffice department the instrumentality of a subsidy to favor individuals.

Referring to American commerce, Beck said no one would go further than he would to extend it, but he wanted it done in a proper way. Men might fairly differ as to the best mode of accomplishing an object. A ship was but a wagon, so far as its uses were concerned. When a Western man wanted to get his corn or cattle to Liverpool, what he would want to find out was how much it would cost him to get it there. That would decide his profits. A ship costing $200,000 would carry his freight cheaper than one costing $300,000. That was an important element.

Plumb asked whether it would not be an important element in the cost of transportation to have the haul shortened by having the man who made the wagon, ship or locomotive live nearer to the point where the grain was raised. That would give the farmer a market.

THE TARIFF QUESTION.

Beck then entered upon an elaborate discussion of the tariff, in which he was frequently interrupted by other senators, drawing from him, in one instance, the remark, "I would like to be permitted to finish a sentence once in a while." He insisted that when a man was compelled to sell in the cheapest market, he should be allowed to buy in the cheapest market. When manufacturers had produced all that they could sell, they encouraged strikes, and were glad when their workingmen struck. The prices of their manufactures went up and the workmen's families were starving. Coal corporations met and resolved to produce no more coal till the price went up, and to discharge their men.

Beck occupied, though with considerable interruptions, three and a half hours. Hale then addressed the senate in favor of the amendment which appropriates $800,000 to pay for carrying U. S. mails to Central and South America, Australia, China and Japan at the rate of $1 per mile for each outward trip, but before he concluded his remarks the senate went into executive session, and when the doors reopened adjourned.

IN SECRET SESSION.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The Senate in secret session to-day resumed consideration of the nomination of Charles R. Pollard of Indiana, to be judge of the supreme court of Montana, and the senators having fully digested the adverse report in the case, all opposition was withdrawn and the case was unanimously rejected.

A motion was made to remove the injunction of secrecy from the confirmation of Gen. Rosecrans to be register of the treasury, which is held up pending an investigation of charges against him by a motion to reconsider the vote. The motion was opposed on the ground that the subcommittee on finance, which is understood to consist of Senators Aldrich and Vance, had not yet had an opportunity to examine the records of the supreme court, which it is alleged contain the facts in the charges brought against the nominee. The motion, however, was pressed to a vote and was lost.

A resolution offered by Senator Morgan several days ago, to remove the injunction of secrecy from the vote upon the Weiland-La Abra Mexican treaty, was discussed at considerable length and with much vigor of expression on both sides. Opposition to the resolution came chiefly, if not entirely, from those who voted against the treaty, and it was so earnest that Senator Morgan manifested an intimation either to withdraw the resolution or modify it so that it will apply only to the text of the treaty and the accompanying papers, but not to the argument or the vote in the case. The subject was not disposed of, no vote being taken.

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Lanham of Texas, from the committee on coinage, weights and measures, reported a bill for the retirement and recoinage of trade dollars. It was placed on the house calendar. It provides that for six months after its passage trade dollars shall be received at their face value in payment of all dues to the United States, and shall not be again paid out or issued in any other manner. Holders of trade dollars, on presentation of the same, may receive in change therefor an equal amount of standard silver dollars. Trade dollars so received by United States treasury officials shall be transmitted to the mints and recoined into standard silver dollars.

The house went into committee of the whole, (Mr. Wellborn of Texas, in the chair) on the river and harbor appropriation bill, the pending amendment being one providing that the appropriation for the Missouri river shall be expended under the direction of the secretary of war, without the interference of the Missouri river commission. The amendment was rejected, but it was agreed that a vote should be allowed on it in the house; adjourned.

THE SHIP RAILWAY BILL.

The Senate Commerce Committee will Make a Favorable Report on a Substitute Measure.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The senate committee on commerce to-day voted to make a favorable report on a new Atlantic and Pacific ship railway bill, as a substitute for the original ship bill. Eads and such others as are associated with him are created an incorporation, with the title of the Atlantic and Pacific Ship Railway company, with power to issue capital stock and bonds not to exceed an aggregate of $100,000,000. The United States obligates itself to pay the company for a period of five years after the ship railway shall have been completed and tested, any sums of money required to make two thirds of the revenues of said company amount annually to a sum of $3,500,000; provided, that the total liability of the government shall in no case exceed this sum of $7,500,000. The obligation of the United States shall not attach until the railway shall have transported, in the presence of a board of engineers appointed by the president of the United States, a loaded vessel, weighing with her load not less than 6000 tons, at an average speed of not less than six miles per hour and place her in the harbor at the other side of the isthmus, without injury to the vessel. At the end of a year thereafter the road is to be in condition to transport vessels weighing with their cargoes not exceeding 7000 tons, and the guarantee of the United States shall continue as long as the railway is kept in such repair as to admit transportation of vessels not exceeding weight named.

THE NEW CHINESE MINISTER.

He Presents his Credentials to the President—His Remarks and Cleveland's Reply.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The new Chinese minister was formally presented to the president to-day by the secretary of state. He was attired in full court costume, and accompanied by three of his suite and an interpreter.

The new minister spoke as follows: "Mr. President: I have the honor to deliver to your excellency a letter which my august sovereign, the emperor of China, has addressed to you, accrediting me as envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to the United States. It became my duty to accept the important charge to which I was raised, and I assume it with pleasure, feeling a greater degree of confidence that I may successfully accomplish the duties of my mission, because of your excellency's well known high sense of justice and generous courtesy. Mr. President: It will be my constant aim to maintain and strengthen the amicable relations which now exist between China and the United States. Sir, I beg leave to offer to you my earnest wishes for your personal happiness, for the success of the government of which you are the distinguished chief, and for the [illegible] of the people of the United States."

REPLY OF THE PRESIDENT.

The president replied: "Mr. Minister: I have [illegible] from your hand the [illegible] of his imperial majesty, the emperor of China, accrediting you as envoy extraordinary and [illegible] to the United States. [illegible] Mr. Minister, that your sojourn with us will yield you happiness and health, [illegible] and mutual prosperity to the people of China and the United States."

WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS.

THE HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—At to-night's session of the Historical association, the committee appointed yesterday to wait upon President Cleveland and request his co-operation in securing a proper commemoration in 1892 of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus, reported that the president assured the committee that he felt a deep interest in the matter, and intimated that he would take pleasure in bringing it to the attention of congress in his next annual message. He did not think congress at the present session would be able to give the subject the consideration it deserves.

Dr. George Ellis, president of the Massachusetts Historical society, read a paper on "The Reconstruction of History," Dr. J. F. Jameson on "Associations in History," and Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale on "Franklin in France."

A resolution was passed thanking the retiring president, Hon. George Bancroft, for services rendered the association by his presence and sympathetic interests.

The following named gentlemen were elected officers of the association for the coming year: President, Justin Winsor, librarian of Harvard university; vice presidents, Charles Kendall Adams, president of Cornell university and Wm. F. Poole, of the Chicago public library; secretary, Herbert B. Adams, of John Hopkins university; treasurer, Clarence Winthrop Bowen, of New York.

The following gentlemen, among others, were elected members of the association: Chief Justice Waite, Senator Wm. M. Evarts, Senator Joseph R. Hawley, Senator Orville H. Platt, Senator John A. Logan, Hon. Wm. Henry Smith, general manager of the associated press, Commodore George E. Belknap, U. S. N. Adjourned.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The house committee on foreign affairs to-day ordered favorable reports on the Chinese indemnity bill and the Morrow Chinese restriction bill. The latter will be precisely similar to the bill ordered reported last week, and will contain the amendments to which objections were made. It is the intention of the committee to have the indemnity bill first considered by the house.

The treasury department has decided that Chinese seamen do not fall within the prohibitory provisions of the Chinese restriction act, and therefore may be allowed to land temporarily in the ordinary pursuit of their calling, for the purpose of shipping on a return voyage as soon as possible.

Brigadier General Thomas H. Ruger, has been assigned to the command of the department of Dakota, and Brigadier General J. H. Potter to the command of the department of the Missouri.

A memorial from the legislature of Iowa, remonstrating against cancellation of bonded indebtedness of the Union Pacific railway, was presented in the senate to-day.

SECRETARY MANNING.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—When the president called upon Secretary Manning a day or two since, the question of the secretary's resigning his duties was discussed. Mr. Manning spoke of the serious nature of his attack, and what a narrow escape he had met, and when he told the president candidly that he had come to the conclusion that it was best for him not to go back to the treasury, the president regretted this decision, but he could not gainsay the arguments of the secretary. It was understood, however, between them that Manning would not at present tender his resignation, but would give the president ample time to look around for a proper successor. Assistant Secretary Fairchild, who has been acting as secretary during the illness of Mr. Manning, may possibly be appointed, although it is reported in inside circles that the president contemplates selecting some one who will be acceptable to the stalwart element of the democracy, which is now so thoroughly dissatisfied.

THE TARIFF BILL.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—There is to be another tariff bill, or at least a radical revision of the one now before the house. Morrison has found that he cannot pass his revised bill, and a plan has been hit upon of eliminating from the bill the proposed reduction on wool and woolen goods, and leaving the duties on those articles the same as under the existing law. The bill, as it will remain, is to provide that lumber, salt, flaxseed and hemp shall be made free of duty, with a 15 per cent. reduction in sugar and a reduction in cotton goods. It will be small, but will enable the free traders to keep their word in making some show of cutting down the tariff. Next year another effort will be made in another direction. The piecemeal process will be followed, and thus in time it is hoped to bring every article upon the dutiable list to a much lower figure than is now the case.

TELEGRAM FROM GEN. MILES.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The adjutant general of the army has received the following telegram from Gen. Miles, dated at Tucson, Arizona: "Apaches in small numbers have been committing serious depredations in the country east and adjacent to the Sonora railroad, from thirty to fifty miles south of the boundary, and to-day (April 27) killed one man north of the line, near Calabassas, Arizona. Our troops and thirty men of the Mexican troops, under Major Reis, have been in active pursuit, both crossing the line and following the raiding parties."

INFLUENCE COULD NOT SAVE HIM.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The senate committee on foreign relations has agreed unanimously to report adversely the nomination of Warren Green, son of Dr. Norvin Green, president of the Western Union, to be consul general for Japan. Green's friends interceded for him, but his misconduct has been so marked that it could not be overlooked.

RAILROAD NOTES.

A REDUCTION ANNOUNCED.

CHICAGO, April 29.—The anticipated reduction in transcontinental passenger rates was publicly announced here to-day, the Union Pacific and the Burlington & Missouri roads meeting rates for Southern California points that were announced by the Santa Fe road early in the week. A telegram authorizing this action was received here to-day from Messrs. C. S. Stebbins, of the Union Pacific, and P. S. Eustis, of the Burlington & Missouri road, as follows: "On and after May 1 the following rates will be in force by these lines from the Missouri river to Colton and Los Angeles, Cala., first-class limited, $50, with rebate of $10 at destination; second-class or emigrant, $35, with rebate of $5; and these rates are arbitrary. All other rates to California points remain as given in our joint telegram of April 26." The only difference in rates now is that the Santa Fe road takes passengers at flat rates, while other lines allow a rebate.

ANOTHER CUT IN RATES THREATENED.

NEW YORK, April 29.—A special dispatch from Chicago says: "Unless the Atchison advances its Los Angeles rates to-day, all other transcontinental roads will make a $10 rate to all California points." This cannot be verified at the company's offices here.

A DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

CHICAGO, April 29.—The Inter-Ocean's Racine, Wis., special: Joseph Uhler, a wealthy farmer 50 years of age, residing at Caledonia, this morning shot his wife through the body, inflicting a mortal wound, and then committed suicide with the same revolver. The couple had been married but two years, and the wife recently sued for divorce, on the ground of inhuman treatment. This is supposed to be the cause of the tragedy.

For constipation and pain under your breastbone use Dr. Henley's Dandelion Tonic.

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JEFF. DAVIS AGAIN.

Text of his Speech Delivered at Montgomery.

HE IS AFRAID TO TRUST HIMSELF.

He Repeats the Old Arguments of Ante-Bellum Days, but Closes by Advising the South to Remain Loyal to the New Union.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 29.—The capitol grounds at 11 o'clock to-day presented an animated scene. The whole hilltop and premises were covered with people gathered to witness the laying of the corner stone of the Confederate monument, or as some expressed it, the "official burial of the Confederacy." The skies above were cloudless, and a pleasant breeze wafted the breath of flowers from the city. The foundation only was ready, presenting a surface of thirty-five feet square. Near at hand stood the corner-stone, on which in raised letters was the inscription: "Corner-stone laid by ex-President Jefferson Davis, April 29, 1886." Opposite this was a large platform for the speakers.

The procession formed in front of the Exchange hotel, Mr. Davis, his daughter, ex-Gov. Watts and [illegible], chairman of the committee of arrangements, were in a carriage drawn by four white horses, each led by a negro in livery. The next carriage contained General and Mrs. Gordon, his daughter and Mrs. Clement C. Clay, and was surrounded by survivors of the Sixth Alabama and other Confederate veterans. The procession was preceded by cavalry and an artillery escort, and was further made up of other local military, uniformed ranks of Knights of Pythias, the commandery of the Knights Templar and Masonic lodges from throughout the state.

YESTERDAY'S SCENES REPEATED.

Demonstrations along the route were as enthusiastic as they were yesterday. The ex-president [illegible] whenever the people caught sight of [illegible]. He took his seat with the committee of the memorial association, [illegible], Mrs. Gordon, and the Misses Davis [illegible] on his left, and Gen. Gordon on his right. Ex-Gov. Watts and officers of the Sixth Alabama, and others were on the platform. The Sixth regiment was present also, as were the trustees of the Soldiers' Monument association, Col. W. L. Bragg, Mayor Reese, Gen. W. W. Allen, Col. W. H. Jones, Col. W. W. Screws and Gov. O'Neal.

Before the services began Col. Bragg presented Mr. Davis with an elegant basket of flowers from Mr. [illegible] Hall, who lives near the city. Mr. Hall is a descendant of Georgia's Lyman Hall. He was a noted opponent to secession, but had eight sons in the war, seven of whom gave their lives to the Confederacy, and the eighth carries lead in him as evidence of his devotion.

A pretty picture was witnessed when some old soldier brought forward the muster roll of the Sixty-eighth Alabama, and two ladies, Misses Gordon and Davis, and Mr. Davis examined it. Old veterans standing near swelled with gratification and [illegible] pride.

Ex-Gov. Watts, the presiding officer of the occasion, opened the exercises with reference to the appropriateness of calling down the benediction of heaven upon the occasion, and requested the Rev. Mr. Andrew, pastor of the M. E. church, to pray. His prayer was earnest and simple.

DAVIS'S SPEECH.

Ex-Governor Watts then presented Mr. Davis in a brief speech. The scene as Mr. Davis arose and grasped the hand of his old attorney-general was very affecting. It was some moments before he could proceed, as the cheers were again and again repeated. When there was sufficient quiet Mr. Davis said:

"It is deeply gratifying to me to be presented to you by one on whom I leaned for advice when advice was wanted, and whose stern qualities always made me sure that the judgment he was drawing was from the bottom of his heart. When you called him away the place was missing which he once filled, and I have always desired to lay my hand upon him again, [doing so. Applause]. Thus it was when we met the other night after years of separation. Some people in the room gave a smile to see the two old weather-beaten men embrace, but our hearts were young, though our heads were old. Associated here with so many memories, thrilling and tender, I have felt that it was dangerous for me to attempt to speak to you as my heart would prompt me. Not that I am always treasuring up bitterness against anyone, but I am overflowing with love and admiration for our beloved people. [Loud applause.] To avoid, therefore, anything which might be prompted by the fullness of my heart, for I believe I am case-hardened in that condition of non-citizenship which leaves me very little to fear [applause], for the purpose of guarding others rather than myself, I have prepared notes, that I might read that which would not contain anything that could be wrongly construed or hurtful. [Voices: 'Go on! Say what you please! You are in the house of your friends!']

HE CONTINUES.

"My friends—partners in joy and sorrow, in trials and suffering—I have come to join you in the performance of a sacred task, to lay the foundation of a monument at the cradle of the Confederate government which shall commemorate the gallant sons of Alabama who died for their country, who gave their lives as a free will offering in defense of the rights of their sires, won in the war of the revolution, and of state sovereignty, freedom and independence which were left us as an inheritance to their posterity forever. These rights the compact of the Union was formed not to destroy, but to better preserve and perpetuate. Whosoever denies this cannot have attentively read the articles of confederation of the constitution of the United States. The latter was formed and designed the better to affect the purpose of the first. It is not my purpose to dwell upon the events of the war. They were laid before you yesterday by the great soldier in so able a manner as to require no supplement from me. Gen. John B. Gordon was the soldier who, when our times seemed darkest at Petersburg, was selected by his chieftain, Lee, as the best man to lead the charge to repel the besieging army; to make a sortie and attack it in the bank, and reverse, to double on Grant's army, and if I may say so, in his presence here, he failed; but his failure was due to the failure of his guides to carry him where he proposed to go. Again, that man and gallant soldier was the one person whom Lee called at Appomattox, when he wanted to know whether it were possible to break the line that obstructed his retreat towards the mountains of Virginia. He answered that it was impossible; that after four years of hard fighting his division was worn down to a fragment. It being then impossible to break the line that obstructed his march to the mountains, Lee, like Washington, without knowing, perhaps, that Washington ever used the expression, said if he could reach the mountains of Virginia he could continue the war for twenty years; but when he found that the line which obstructed his retreat could not be broken, he said there was nothing to do but surrender. Be it remembered, however, that Lee was not a man who contemplated surrender so long as he had power to fight or retreat, and when he came to the last moment of surrender he said to Gen. Grant: 'I have come to treat with you for the purpose of surrender, but, Gen. Grant, understand that I will surrender nothing that reflects upon the honor of my army.' Grant, like a man, said he wanted nothing that would have that effect, and that Lee might draw up the papers himself.

HIS OLD ARGUMENTS REPEATED.

"It is not my purpose either to discuss political questions, on which my views have elsewhere and in other times been freely expressed, or to review the past, except in vindication of the character and conduct of those to whom it is proposed to do honor on this occasion. That we may not be misunderstood, it may be proper to state to the foreground that we have no desire to feed the fires of sectional hate, while we do not seek to avoid whatever responsibility attaches to a belief in the righteousness of our cause and the virtue of those who risked their lives to defend it. [Long applause and cheers.] Revenge is not a sentiment of a chivalrous people, and the apothegm that forgiveness is more easy to the injured than to those who inflict an injury, has never had a more powerful illustration than in the present attitude of the two sections toward one another. Policy, in the absence of magnanimity, would have indicated that in the restored union of states there should have been full restoration of privileges and benefits as they had pre-existed. Though this has not been the case, yet you have faithfully kept your resumed obligations as citizens, and in your impoverishment have borne equal burdens without equal benefits. I am proud of you all, my countrymen, for this additional proof of your fidelity, and pray God to give you grace to suffer and be strong. When your children's children shall ask what means this monument there will be the enduring answer: 'It commemorates the deeds of Alabama's sons who died that you and your descendants should have what your fathers in the war of independence left you.' Alabama asserted rights proclaimed in the declaration of independence as belonging to every people. She found that the compact of the union had been broken on one side, and was therefore annulled; that the government of the United States did not answer the end for which it was instituted, and with others of like mind proceeded to form a new confederation, organizing its powers, in the language of the declaration of independence, in such form as seemed to them most likely to effect their safety and happiness. This was not revolution, because the state government, having charge of all domestic affairs, both of person and property, remained unchanged. To call it revolution is gross solecism [applause], as sovereigns never rebel, and as only sovereigns can form a national league. If the states had not been sovereigns there could not have been the compact of the Union. [Applause.] That the South did not anticipate, much less desire war, is shown by the absence of preparation for it, as well as by efforts made to secure peaceful separation. The successful party always hold the defeated responsible for war, but when passion shall have subsided and reason shall have resumed her dominion it must be decided that the general government has no constitutional power to coerce the state, and that the state has a right to repel invasion. It was a national and constitutional right. [Applause].

THE NORTH AGGRESSIVE.

"From the early part of the century there had been prophecies and threats of dissolution of the Union. These began at the North on the question of preserving the balance of power, and culminated during the war of 1812, on the decline of their trade, though the war was waged for protection of sailors' rights. In the course of years the balance of power passed to the North, and that power was so used that the South, despairing of peaceful enjoyment of their constitutional rights in the Union, decided to withdraw from it. This without injury to their late associates. The right to withdraw was denied, and the North made ready for war. The distant mutterings of the storm were readily understood by the people of Alabama. Gray-haired sires and beardless boys, all unprepared as they were, went forth to meet the storm that burst upon their homes and their altars. It required no demonstration to arouse them to the duty of resisting the invaders; no Patrick Henry to prepare them for the alternative of liberty or death. It was the people, not the leaders, who moved and acted, and one sentiment inspired all classes. Yet I believe there were very few who did not regret the necessity which drove them to the alternative of fighting for their state or against. Mothers, wives and daughters, choking back their sobs, cheered them on the path of honor and duty. With fearless tread these patriots, untrained to war, advanced on many battle fields to look death in the face. Though Alabama, like Niobe, must mourn her children in death, yet is her woe tempered by the glorious halo which [illegible] their memory. For more than a century after his death, it is said that Philip [illegible]'s name was borne on the roll of grenadiers [illegible], and when his name was called it was answered from the ranks, "Mort sur le champ de bataille." Long, very long, would be the list which would contain the names of Alabama's sons whose valor and fidelity would justify the same response. [illegible] They are all therefore left where they sought repose, in the hearts of a grateful people. This monument will rest upon the land for which they stood, and point upward to the Father who [illegible] her children [illegible] which may have been denied [illegible].

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"Citizens of Alabama and ladies" (facing the ladies on the stand), "for to whatever side you may look, it is your sex that has been true always [illegible] war and desolation. We hear of the valor and virtues and endearing names of the Spartan mothers, but tell me where, in all history of nations, was ever such a spectacle seen as was witnessed in the valley of the Shenandoah? [illegible] the tide of war ebbed and flowed. Sometimes the Confederates retreated and sometimes they pursued those people who claimed to be our brethren, and burned everything except fences.

Ex-Gov. Watts, interrupting, said they would have burned them had they not been stone.

Mr. Davis turned and smilingly continued: "And why do you suppose they did not burn the fences? Because they were stone. [Loud applause.] And yet there never was a time when a Confederate body of troops marched down that valley that the ladies did not hang out little Confederate flags from their windows and give bread to the hungry soldiers. [Tremendous applause.] I have promised that I would not speak extemporaneously, and I will not do it. God bless you, one and all. I love you all, from the bottom of my heart, and give you thanks now for your kindness." [Tremendous long continued applause and cheers.]

Governor Watts then turned over the rest of the proceedings to the grand lodge of Masons, who laid the corner stone according to Masonic rites. The first article deposited in the stone was a Confederate battle flag by Miss Davis.

A PROTEST AGAINST DAVIS.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 29.—In response to a call issued by Gen. Henry A. Barnum and others, Grand Army men and citizens to the number of 200 met in the assembly chamber to-night to protest against the utterances of Jefferson Davis in his speech at Montgomery yesterday, and in the words of the call, to denounce the "resurrection of Davis from the oblivion to which loyal and patriotic people had consigned him." Patriotic speeches were made by Gen. Barnum, Speaker Husted, Senators Kaine, Coggeshall and Smith, Assemblyman Van Allen and others. The assemblage sang "We'll Hang Jeff Davis on a Sour Apple Tree." The following was adopted.

Resolved, That treason is odious; that the Union of the United States of America and the liberty which the American principle of popular government illustrates is worth the blood of all the loyal citizens of our country. Adjourned.

THE EASTERN TROUBLE.

THE MINISTER OF WAR RESIGNS.

ATHENS, April 29.—The minister of war has resigned. His resignation is due to the fact that he did not coincide with the action taken by his colleagues during his absence at the front.

The powers have approved the action of their representatives here in presenting the ultimatum to the Greek government.

AN INDICATION OF PEACE.

ATHENS, April 29.—The resignation of Col. Max Romichalsis as minister of war is regarded as an indication of peace. Premier Delagonnis will assume the duties of the war department for the present.

It is expected that Greece will soon officially notify the powers that her forces will be disarmed. It is maintained in official circles that Count De Mony, French ambassador, promised that if Greece disarmed she would be rewarded by having assured to her the frontier promised in the treaty of Berlin. Count De Mony has been instructed to notify the Greek government that France is not disposed to be dragged into the present dispute, beyond enabling Greece to maintain good relations with the powers, and that the French government intends to avoid isolated action.

The reply of the Greek government to the ultimatum of the powers is due on Tuesday next, when the foreign ministers will be recalled, unless Greece consents to disarm.

ENGLAND.

LABOUCHERE ASSAILS THE CABLE POOL.

LONDON, April 29.—Labouchere, once a founder and director in the Direct Cable company, and intimately acquainted with cable officers, sails into the cable pool with great vigor in yesterday's *Truth*. He hopes the cable gang has caught tartars in Mackay and Bennett, and urges all users of the cable to support these gentlemen in their efforts to permanently reduce cable rates.

CALL FOR A MEETING.

LONDON, April 29.—The national liberal association has issued a call for a meeting on May 5. It is proposed to introduce at the meeting a resolution expressive of confidence in Gladstone, but earnestly requesting him to accept amendments to his Irish measures, in order to unite the liberal party.

HEAVY FIRE.

LONDON, April 29.—Wilkinson's mills, at Beeston, Nottinghamshire, together with many adjoining houses, burned to-day. Loss, $750,000.

BANKRUPT.

LONDON, April 29.—Baron Headley has been declared bankrupt.

A CABINET CRISIS IMPENDING.

MADRID, April 29.—There is serious dissension in the cabinet. The friction is due to the refusal of the other ministers to yielding to the demands of Senor Camacho, minister of finance, for economy in the budget, which he insists is necessary. A crisis is impending.

CALIFORNIA.

PARDONED BY THE PRESIDENT.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 29.—A private dispatch was received in this city yesterday from Washington, stating that Capt. Goodall, of the ship Governor Robie, who was convicted of cruelty to sailors, and assault with a deadly weapon, and sentenced Feb. 10 to four months' imprisonment in San Quentin state prison, together with payment of $500 fine, has been pardoned by President Cleveland.

ROW BETWEEN ATTORNEYS.

While the trial of the contest over the will of the late Thomas Fallon was in progress in Judge Coffey's court this morning, two of the attorneys became involved in an altercation, and were about to draw revolvers, when a deputy sheriff who was present sprang between them and prevented further demonstrations. Judge Coffey fined each $50 for contempt. The fines were immediately paid.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

RAILROAD BRIDGE BURNED.

WALLA WALLA, April 29.—A dispatch from North Yakima says: The 180-foot span of the Natchess railroad bridge burned last evening. It is supposed to have caught from an engine. Repairs were commenced at once. Traffic will be delayed ten days before false work can be put in. Loss, $10,000.

Charles Wright said the road would reach Tacoma thirteen months from date. The necessary money is provided and work will be commenced at both ends the 1st of June. An immense force will be employed.

ARIZONA.

ONLY A FRIGHTENED CHINAMAN'S STORY.

WILLCOX, April 29.—Gen Miles, on investigating the report from Pantano that eight men were killed by Indians near there, finds that the report emanated from a frightened Chinaman, and has no foundation in fact.

J. A. Ingles, M. D., of Morea, Ill., says: "I have used WASHBURNE'S SALICYLICA with decided benefit in every case of Rheumatism." Sold by all druggists. Ask for "Washburne's Salicylica" and beware of counterfeits or preparations recommended as "just as good."

DOMESTIC NEWS.

Convicts Make a Desperate Dash for Liberty.

BOOTH ATTACKED BY VERTIGO.

Opening of the Baseball Season in the East—The Ohio Election Frauds—A Youthful Millionaire—Eastern News Items.

OLYMPIA, April 29.—An attempt was made at 1 o'clock this afternoon by five prisoners to break out of the penitentiary at Seatco. The guard fired, killing Wise and mortally wounding Garron. Convicts Karney and Moore were caught, and Tate escaped.

CHEHALIS, April 29.—This afternoon the convicts in the Seatco penitentiary, while working in the sash and door factory, made a break for the woods. The guard fired on them, killing one (Wise) and dangerously wounding two. It is thought the two wounded cannot recover. One prisoner escaped.

BOOTH ATTACKED BY VERTIGO

He is Barely Able to Finish a Performance of "Othello" at New York.

NEW YORK, April 29.—The second performance of "Othello," with Salvini and Booth in the principal roles, at the Academy of Music last night was anything but a great presentation, owing to the unfavorable condition of the American actor. From the very first Booth appeared to be in very poor form. His reading of the lines was uneven, and there were instances where he lost the thread of his lines. As the play continued his walk was characterized and positively unsteady. It was not, however, until the third act in the great scene with Othello that the growing apprehension of the audience was completely confirmed. After Othello (Salvini) had thrown Iago to the ground in his bursts of wrath, he assisted Booth to his feet again without disturbing, apparently, the natural course of action. As Booth regained his feet Salvini let go his hold and the American actor lost his balance, staggered backward and squatted on the footlight rail. A few of the audience nearest the stage jumped forward, as it seemed the actor was about to fall into the orchestra. He recovered his self-possession wonderfully, and continued throughout the act. His conduct called forth some hissing, but the audience, pained as it no doubt was, seemed to extend their sympathy by encoring him as usual. His entrances and exits from this point were timid and made with a perceptible hesitant step. His great scene where Roderigo is killed was played with great force, and he was warmly called before the curtain. He seemed to have recovered himself again, but in the last act he weakened and his closing scene was extremely weak, and with his hands tied behind his back his condition was too painfully apparent to even ordinary observers.

Actors of the Salvini-Booth combination who were assembled at the Academy of Music for the morning's rehearsal discussed with much interest Booth's sudden manifestation of dizziness last evening. Booth reached the academy a few minutes after 11. He said he had been affected by an attack of vertigo. "Similar attacks have troubled me often before," he added, as he passed on. "Yesterday it was caused, I think, by a bilious attack."

BASEBALL.

AT NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 29.—The league championship season was formally opened in this city to-day, by the New York and Boston clubs, with an attendance of 11,046 persons. Eleven innings had to be played before the contest was decided. The excitement was intense, and the roar of voices defies description. As the chances were hung in the balance, and inclined first to one side and then to the other, the result was delightfully in doubt to the end. Gerhardt carried off the honors. Thousands flocked over the fences at the close, amidst a din that sounded like thunder, and went to carry the players off the field. Score—Boston 4, New York 5.

AT WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The championship season of the national league opened here to-day with a game between the National and Philadelphia clubs. Never before has such an assembly gathered in this city to witness a ball game as that which tested the capacity of Capitol park to-day. Many ladies were present, and the Marine band did the blowing. The Nationals outplayed their opponents at all points. Score—Nationals 6, Philadelphia 3.

AT ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, April 29. The league series opened here to-day, and notwithstanding a raw and really cold atmosphere 5000 people were on the grounds. The Detroits played an almost perfect game; while their batting was very fine and heavy. The home team also played well, but they failed to "get on to" Baldwin, making but three hits off his delivery. Score—St. Louis 2, Detroits 9.

NO GAME AT KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, April 29.—The inaugural game between the Chicagos and the home club was prevented to-day by rain.

EASTERN NEWS ITEMS.

THE OHIO ELECTION FRAUDS.

COLUMBUS, April 29.—The non partisan senatorial committee of six which has been investigating the alleged frauds perpetrated at the election in Cincinnati on October 30 last, with a view of seating four republican claimants for Hamilton county who were contesting the seats of democratic sitting members in the state senate, submitted two reports, defined by party lines, to that body this evening. The substance of the separate reports, with the claims made and conclusions and recommendations, have already been made public. The republican section of the committee, by its system of argument and review of evidence of 650 witnesses, and an inquiry consuming forty-five days' time, concludes that the four republicans were elected by majorities ranging from 935 to 1488, and are entitled to seats. The democratic members of the committee, by a similar process, and throwing out precincts which are retained by the republicans, find that the four democratic candidates were elected by majorities ranging from 203 to 800, and are entitled to the seats. The reports, which are voluminous, were read and ordered printed, and made the special order for next Wednesday at 11 A. M.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

CLEVELAND, April 29.—At the twentieth encampment of the G. A. R., department of Ohio, the following officers were elected to-day: Department commander, Col. A. L. Conger, of Akron; senior vice-commander, Charles H. Wentzell, of Cincinnati; junior vice-commander, B. N. Lindsey, of Steubenville; medical director, Dr. J. B. Kline, of Portsmouth; chaplain, I. W. Brake, Portsmouth. Ex-President R. B. Hayes was elected delegate at large to the national encampment to be held at San Francisco. The Woman's relief corps elected Mrs. Sarah M. Battles of Akron, president; Mrs. Mary E. Bancroft of Columbus, senior vice president; Mrs. R. C. Holliday of Steubenville, junior vice president, Mrs. M. Boland of Cleveland, chaplain, and Mrs. Morrison, of Akron, treasurer. To-night a great camp fire was held, at which ex-President Hayes, Gov. Foraker, of Ohio, Gov. Alger, of Michigan, and Corporal Tanner, of Brooklyn, made addresses. The encampment unanimously voted in favor of presenting the name of Corporal James Tanner, of New York, for national commander to the national encampment, to be held this fall in San Francisco.

A YOUTHFUL MILLIONAIRE.

NEW YORK, April 29.—John Dubois, lumber king of Pennsylvania, has filed, in Clearfield county, an absolute deed conveying all his property, valued at about $8,000,000, to his favorite nephew, John E. Dubois. The deed bears date of January 17, 1884, so, although for more than two years young John Dubois has been in his uncle's employ, taking orders from whatever superintendent he chanced to be working under, he has been actual owner of the entire property. Nobody knew it but himself and his uncle. The senior Dubois is 77 years old. He has been ailing lately and decided to make the deed public. The only consideration in the deed is that John E. Dubois pays all debts and fills all contracts his uncle may make till the day of his death. The deed makes no mention of any other heirs, of whom there are many. The young man is 25 years old and unmarried.

A STRIKE THREATENED.

JERSEY CITY, April 29.—A general strike among machinists of this city is threatened next Saturday. Proprietors of machine shops having Knights of Labor in their employ to-day received letters from the executive committee of the association of United Iron workers, demanding less work and more pay. The proprietors made no reply to the demand, and the result was that the men have been ordered to strike on Saturday. There are about thirty shops in the city, employing from a dozen to 200 men each. Most are getting $2 75 to $3 per day of ten hours.

STORM IN THE SOUTH.

NEW ORLEANS, April 29.—A special to the *Times-Democrat* from Mississippi City says: Great damage was done eight miles north of this place by a cyclone yesterday. It moved in a path three-quarters of a mile wide. Large quantities of timber were blown down, and lofty pines are uprooted. A hail storm at Pearlington, Miss., destroyed all the glass on the north sides of houses. The hailstones were very large, some of them measuring three inches in circumference.

THREE HUNDRED MEN IDLE.

PITTSBURG, April 29.—All departments of Braun & Co's iron and steel works, except the steel mill, were closed down to-day, the laborers and engineers having struck for an advance of 10 per cent. in wages. About 300 men were affected.

The best regulator of the digestive organs and the best appetizer known is Angostura Bitters. Try it, but beware of imitations. Get from your grocer or druggist the genuine article, manufactured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

The Oregonian.

PORTLAND, FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 1886.

THE SIN OF SECRETIVENESS.

The resolutions of the state republican convention denounce the democratic administration for "concealing all matters relating to removals as a sealed book." This criticism is all well enough as far as it goes, but the people are not more disgusted with the evils of secretiveness as manifested by the president and his heads of departments than they are with the superlatively silly secrecy enforced in theory at least by the senate when in executive session. Senator Logan, with characteristic common sense, early in the session, saw that the republican position, impeaching the president for the charge of executive secrecy, was exposed to be promptly flanked by the president's attacking the executive secrecy of the senate. Senator Edmunds, an intellectual Bourbon who finds it very hard to forget anything or learn anything, is on the record in defence of this nonsensical practice by the senate of secrecy as a senatorial right and privilege. Senators Logan and Platt in the debate on this subject called in vain for an answer to their question, "What is there in the origin, character and functions of the senate that justify the performance of its most responsible duty behind closed doors, with its members bound by oath and under penalty of expulsion not to reveal its executive proceedings?" Senator Platt ten days ago showed by the records of the senate that the "executive session" in its present form dates no farther back than the last year of President Johnson's term, when the dread and distrust of the executive as naturally inspired the imposition of secret sessions as it did the passage of the tenure of office law, which was promptly modified in 1869, when Grant took the helm. The "secret session" ought to have died a natural death when the exceptional dangers that prompted its creation had passed away. Its survival to-day is as superserviceable, and as absurd as the rest of the emergent legislation of Andy Johnson's day of dogmatic diabolism. Senator Platt further said that the abolition of the secret session was really the decent legal burial of what was and always had been little better than an open secret, since every Washington correspondent knew within an hour after adjournment what had transpired behind "closed doors." The truth is that the secrecy has become, if it was not always, a farce, and it is not easy to understand why a senator should oppose open sessions, who does not expect to use secrecy for purposes that he would prefer to, if possible, conceal. Logan's common sense voices the people better than the narrow conservatism of Mr. Edmunds. Logan bluntly says that "executive business" is part of the public business that the people have a right to know about as fully as any other proceedings of the senate. Open doors would do the senate a power of good. Senators would not be half as keen to wash each other's dirty linen, if the whole story of the debate preceding action on nominations were reported, including the disreputable documents, petitions, letters, etc., that are [illegible] data interjected into the case of a candidate before the senate for confirmation. Men in and without the senate would be a little more careful whom they recommended for office if they knew that their names and letters were likely to form part of the public knowledge as well as part of the secret information of the senate. At all events the president completely flanked the attack of the senate, organized and led by Edmunds, against his executive secrecy, when he offered to open his archives if the senate would open its doors, and the moment Senator Edmunds said "No" he gave away his whole battle; he is beaten and the people know it, if Mr. Edmunds does not.

SOLDIERS FOR PUBLIC OFFICE.

The state convention, in its resolutions, says: "We reiterate the doctrine of the republican party of giving to our Union defenders, at all times, the preference for political offices, or employment, state or national, other qualifications being equal."

That is good doctrine, since it does not propose to place a man in the public service without any credentials for capacity or character save his discharge papers, given him when he doffed army blue for the garb of peace. Of course everybody knows that thousands of men who did fair service in the army more than twenty years ago are incompetent to-day for efficient public service. They may be fair and worthy candidates for public relief at the hands of the government, and yet be entirely worthless for the simplest public trust. The public service ought not to be enfeebled by giving a man an appointment upon no other certificate than his discharge from the army. Proof of capacity for the ordinary pursuits of peace ought to be demanded, as well as testimonials of good conduct in war. In Massachusetts this year the state encampment of the G. A. R. foolishly adopted a resolution to have offered and advocated in the legislature the so-called Tobin bill of last year exempting honorably discharged soldiers and sailors from the necessity of submitting to competitive examination for appointment to office under the state civil service law. This action was unwise and uncalled for, for the law now gives the soldier the preference over a civilian who passes an equally good examination, and no manly, sensible soldier would wish to obtain a public office without submitting to the same tests that are applied to all citizens who have never been soldiers.

The committee of the Massachusetts legislature sensibly propose to substitute for the Tobin bill, which makes the soldier plead the baby act, a bill that considers military service in itself a qualification for place to a certain extent, giving the soldier credit in proportion to the length of his army life. Five points are to be added for each year or fraction of a year up to three, and beyond three years twenty points are to be added to the sum of his examination marks. This term "length of army life" is likely to prove misleading, for six months of campaign life in face of the enemy would be a sounder claim on the score of hardship and peril than six years of army life with the quartermaster, the commissary or the hospital department. A soldier's special claim to severity of service, involving more or less physical disability, ought to be considered, rather than so [illegible] a claim as "length of army service."

COMPLETION OF THE TICKET.

In the republican convention there was no opposition to the re-nomination of Herman. He has shown a good deal of activity in congress, and though it has not yet produced much fruit, many persons are willing to give him time, so that he may have a fair chance to show what he can do.

The state ticket was completed by the renomination of T. F. McElroy for the position of superintendent of public instruction, and the nomination of Frank Baker of Portland, for the office of state printer. Mr. McElroy has served four years with ability and fidelity. Mr. Baker is president of Multnomah Typographical union, and is one of the publishers of the *Rural Spirit*.

The main object of those who pursue politics as a profession, and who devote themselves to manipulation of state affairs for what can be made out of the business, was gained through the results of the convention, particularly through the nomination of Marston for the office of state treasurer. If elected he will be under control of the same parties who have so long been making profit out of the state funds in one way or another, or directly doing business therein. Perhaps the time will come when the people of Oregon will ask why it is that an office whose lawful salary is $800 a year should yield emoluments amounting to $20,000, through methods which the law does not recognize, and why this system should be permitted to continue, for corruption and demoralization of politics and public affairs. But perhaps the inquiry will never be effectually made till a defalcation of enormous proportions shall stop that traffic in the frauds of the state which has been going on for many years.

The Boise *Statesman*, which has been screaming for months that "the Chinese must go," frankly admits that nobody is coming to take their places. "The most important thing to be provided for," it says, "was first to secure domestic help—girls to take the places of Chinese cooks in families." But "not a single girl has come here through the efforts of the anti-Chinese league; girl help is just as scarce as it was three months ago when this question was first agitated." Again, "white men promised to engage in gardening," but they are not doing it; "no white man is offering vegetables for sale." Likewise, it was said that there "would be no trouble in starting white laundries, that there were plenty of poor women who could not get washing to do, because people were in the habit of sending their clothes to the Chinamen;" but this too has proven a failure, and Chinese still do the washing. Perhaps now, it is beginning to dawn upon the Boise paper that in its clamor for the Chinese to "go" it has been making a fool of itself. A day has been set upon which or by which they were to depart from Boise, but they are working away as if they had no thought of going, so long at least as there is the demand for their labor, which the organ of the "agitation" at Boise, now confesses exists there.

Among the resolutions in the republican platform is the following:

> Eighth. That we are in favor of such an adjustment of our revenue from imports as will encourage the development of the industrial interests of the whole country and secure to our workingmen liberal wages, to our agriculturists remunerative prices, to our mechanics and manufacturers an adequate reward for their skill, labor and enterprise, and to the nation commercial prosperity in times of peace and independence, in times of war.

This is truly comprehensive. It calls for everything for everybody. It demands the highest prices for products when you sell 'em, and the lowest prices for products when you buy 'em. It promises high prices to the farmer for his wheat, and low prices to the consumer for his bread; high prices to the flockmaster for his wool and large profits to the manufacturer for making the wool into cloth, and low prices to the man who wants a suit of clothes. What we want, what the country is suffering for, is the coming of the legislator who can do all these things by tinkering at the statutes. The platitudes out of which platform literature in general is created were never better illustrated than by this resolution.

Again THE OREGONIAN must remind all whom it may concern that it cannot return the manuscript of articles sent to it for publication. The reasons are plain to every person acquainted with the details of newspaper work. To keep a record of articles "to be returned if not used" involves a deal of labor, and they who send articles to THE OREGONIAN are respectfully requested not to ask it.

Well! "Andy" Gilbert didn't get the nomination for the state treasurship as the second instalment of his reward for his grand [illegible] resulting in the legislature. And lucky for him that he didn't.

WOMEN PROUD TO ATTEND THE POLLS.

PORTLAND, April [illegible]

To the Editor of The Oregonian:

A few [illegible] Judge Burnett for his [illegible] in yesterday morning's OREGONIAN. Especially am I pleased with that portion wherein he appeals to the women all over the state to [illegible] and will then [illegible] of every [illegible] for the legislature and ask him to pledge himself if elected, to work and vote for the proposed amendment to the Ready bill. I [illegible] Judge Burnett for his brave and earnest [illegible] for woman in this great work. And I must say that I believe his timely call will receive a prompt and hearty response. For myself, I not only endorse all that Judge Burnett said in his letter, but I would go even further than he has gone. I will advocate the advisability of the women attacking this monster evil at its stronghold—the polls. I favor woman carrying her purifying influence to those places where her representatives are elected, and there labor, earnestly labor, for those men only who will pledge their support if elected for the constitutional amendment. This will be no new departure for women. They have worked at the polls in the various states and territories where local option and prohibition now exist. Coffee, sandwiches, lemonade and ice water, have been supplied in various places. In some localities the children, our "Bands of Hope," were properly regaled, and with appropriate banners and mottoes were marched and countermarched around and about the polling places. And pure, refined women were there, earnestly laboring for the good of the country. Do not tell me that this is no place for women and children, and that they can not have a beneficial influence. Purity and goodness are recognized, yes and appreciated by the lowest and most degraded. Nothing so easily reaches and softens the hardest criminal as to look up on the innocent faces of childhood, and the thin gray locks of motherhood. For a time he lives over again his own innocent childhood and looks into the loving face of his long forgotten mother. A strange power seems to take possession of him, and he again resolves to atone for past wrongs and be an honest man. For a time temptation loses its hold upon him, and many men under such influence have been redeemed. The attempt at least should be made. I am aware that many of our good women shrink from this work. And yet the brave mothers of our beloved W. C. T. U. began this crusade fourteen years ago, in the low, vile saloons of our land. And I am sure it was never claimed even by the worst opponent, that these women were ever defiled through this unpleasant work, but to the contrary, the ministers all over our land held long protracted meetings earnestly praying for their success, and urging out new recruits. Now, why should the women to-day not be strengthened and encouraged in performing this less objectionable work? One of our state officers, who is noted for his quiet manners and good, sound judgment, said to me yesterday, "I not only think it is proper for women to work at the polls, but I look upon it as a duty, especially now when we have an opportunity of accomplishing so much." Let us hear from some of our brothers and our sisters on this subject.

MRS. OWENS ADAIR, M. D.

VERHAAG—WILSON.

EAST PORTLAND, April [illegible]

To the Editor of The Oregonian:

Judging from last Wednesday's OREGONIAN, I thought that Mr. Wilson had thrown up the sponge and kicked the bucket, but in to-day's paper I see the poor man revive again under the ministering care, I suppose, of his Methodist colleagues, whom it took fully two days to rake up old calumnies against the church. As the editor of THE OREGONIAN has limited my space to allow me to refute the number of charges made by Mr. Wilson against the "Romish church" and her priests, I must study brevity, and can consequently give but a general answer, which, nevertheless, will sufficiently prove to every fair-minded reader the true standard of the Catholic church with regard to the common schools and the interest taken in education in general, as well as her efforts in behalf of liberty of conscience, proved by the very text of the freedom of worship bill of New York, which Mr. Wilson has either ignorantly or designedly perverted, as well as the words purported [illegible] Pius IX. As for Henry [illegible] [illegible] ask how does [illegible] present controversy [illegible] one who is a [illegible] of historical knowledge knows what kind of a hypocrite he was, how he feigned repentance under the most solemn promises, which he afterwards broke again. The testimony of Dexter A. Hawkins concerning priests whipping children, etc., is not worthy of belief, for the following reasons. First, Hawkins is a rabid bigot against everything Catholic, because, second, he is prejudiced; third, false in his statements, and not a proper authority to bring up in defense of any charge. In answer to your testimony of Joseph Cook, a notorious anti-Catholic, whom you quote, I reply from a book written by a Protestant author, but more reliable than either you or your witnesses, Henry Barnard, LL.D., wherein the author says: "To the Christian church belongs the higher credit of first instituting the public schools for the elementary education of the poor, which was the earliest form in which this mighty element of modern society was [illegible]. After the third century of the Christian era wherever a Christian church was planted or religious instructions established, there it was the aim of the higher ecclesiastical authorities to found, in some form, a school for the nurture of children and youth for the service of religion and duties of society. Passing by the ecclesiastical and catechetical schools we find, as early as 529, the council of Saissons recommending strongly the establishment of village schools."

In 800 a synod at Mayence ordered that the parochial priests should have schools in villages, that the children of all the faithful might learn letters from them. "Let them receive and teach these with the utmost charity, that they themselves may shine as the stars forever. Let them receive no remuneration from their scholars, unless what their parents voluntarily offer."

A council at Rome in 826, under Pope Eugene II., ordained that there should be three kinds of schools established throughout Christendom: episcopal, parochial in towns and villages, and others wherever there could be found place and opportunity. In 825 Lothaire I. promulgated a decree to establish eight public schools in some of the principal cities of Italy, "in order that opportunity may be given to all, and that there may be no excuse drawn from poverty and the difficulty of repairing to remote places." The third council of Lateran, in 1179, says: "Since the church of God, as a pious mother, is bound to provide that opportunity for learning should not be withdrawn from the poor who are without help from patrimonial riches, be it ordained that in every cathedral there should be a master to teach both clerks and poor scholars gratis." This decree was enlarged and again enforced by Innocent III. in the year 1215. Hence in all colleges of canons, one bore the title of scholastic canon. The council of Lyons in 1245 decreed that in all cathedral churches, and others provided with adequate revenues, there should be established a school and a teacher by the bishop and chapter, who should teach clerks and others [illegible] gratis [illegible] grammar, and for this purpose a stipend should be assigned him." That is [illegible] authority, Mr. Wilson, proved [illegible] facts of history that the Catholic church is the very mother of common schools, that she fosters science and letters, and you dare say that "the Catholics can't stand the light that the public schools turn upon them." Why, Mr. Wilson, you must be a great [illegible] indeed. Well may I say in the words of [illegible], "Lord, forgive [illegible]."

Now we come to the freedom of worship bill, about which the Methodist minister [illegible] with such assurance. This bill provides: "Section 1. That all persons committed to any state or county [illegible] sheriff's jail, or other place of confinement in said state of New York, shall be allowed spiritual advice and spiritual ministrations from any recognized clergyman of the denomination or church to which such person so committed or received may respectively belong, and have belonged prior to their being so committed or received in any such state prison or reform school or other place of confinement, such advice and ministration to be given within the prison or reform school or other building where the inmates thereof are required by law to be confined or [illegible], in such manner as will secure to each person the free exercise of his religious belief."

Further, in section 3, it is said: "All religious practices, except by such clergymen as aforesaid, are hereby prohibited, and no inmate of any such institution or other person shall interfere with or attempt to influence or control or change the religious belief or opinions of any of said inmates, nor shall any of said inmates be required to attend any religious services or devotions in any of said institutions against their own free will if they have attained their majority; and if minors, shall not be so required contrary to the expressed directions of the parents or guardian or everyone having a legal charge of said inmates respectively; and in all matters appertaining to religion the rights of conscience and the free exercise thereof shall be scrupulously respected and guarded." It is a shame and disgrace on our boasted American liberty that such a bill is necessary in any city of this land, and no one but an ignorant would [illegible] this bill against Catholics. Without saying any more to the numberless charges and insinuations made by Mr. Wilson, the refutation of which might be read in any impartial history, I leave to the fair-minded reader the question what all this rehash of stale calumnies has to do with the question at issue. Like a wild man Mr. Wilson is beating the air and asks a number of questions which any fool with an inveterate hatred for the "Romish church" may put, and for the answer of which I refer Mr. Wilson to impartial and authentic history.

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In this city, April 29, to the wife of Frank Deitz, a daughter.

MARRIED.

In St. Stephen's chapel, this city, April 28, by Rev. John Rosenberg, Edw. Y. Lansing, Qm. Dept., U. S. A., and Charlotte M., daughter of Ferdinand G. Ewald, of Portland.

DIED.

In this city, April 28, Capt. Elijah Moore, formerly of Portland, Maine.

Funeral at 10 o'clock this morning from [illegible]. Santa Rosa, Cal., and Maine papers please copy.

April 29, at the residence of her mother, in East Portland, Mrs. Christina [illegible], aged 30 years.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Dr. George Kellogg will take place from the Christian church, cor. East Park and Columbia, at 1 o'clock P. M., Saturday, May 1st. Interment at the Masonic cemetery. All the friends of the family are cordially invited to attend.

NEW TO-DAY.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOYS AND Girls' Aid Society of Oregon will be held in the Council chambers Tuesday evening, May 4. Election of three Trustees and officers for the ensuing year, reading reports of retiring officers and other important business will come before the meeting. All interested in the work of the society are requested to be present.
30a2 & 7 in F. E. BEACH, Secretary.

At Great SACRIFICE.—GEO. H. HIMES has concluded not to have any political aspirations, but to devote his entire energies to Job Printing and kindred branches, in which occupation he finds no superior, either as to quality of work or price. To prove which call on or address him at 169-171 Second st., Portland, Oregon. Legal Blanks. No objections to political jobs.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—IN THE COUNTY Court [illegible] of Multnomah, state of Oregon, in probate, in the matter of the estate of M. W. Fechheimer, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned were on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1886, duly appointed executors of the last will and testament of M. W. Fechheimer, deceased, late of the city of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon. All persons having claims against the estate of said M. W. Fechheimer deceased, are hereby notified to present the same with the proper vouchers therefor to the undersigned executors at the office of [illegible], attorney at law, First National Bank Building, Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, within six months from this date.

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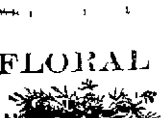

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ATTEMPTED ROBBERY.—About [illegible] evening as a lady and her [illegible] near the south city limits were going along First street near Hooker on the [illegible] two young men following them [illegible] one of the fellows [illegible] stepped up alongside them and [illegible] carried by one of the ladies [illegible] from her. She held on to her wealth [illegible] "murder." C. G. Warren, opposite [illegible] the attempted robbery took place [illegible] the cries of the lady opened his door and [illegible] was thrown on the transaction. The thief, who preferred darkness to light [illegible] the same old reason, took to his heels [illegible] telling the ladies that he would catch [illegible] started after him. Mr. Warren [illegible] the ladies home and it is not likely that [illegible] soon again venture out in the evening [illegible] an escort.

[illegible] SURVEYING PARTY IN THE [illegible]—[illegible] left here a day or two since in the in[illegible] it is reported, of the Oregon Pacific railroad. Their destination and object have been kept [illegible] but it is understood that they will [illegible] Ontario, which is a station on the Short [illegible] forty-eight miles beyond Huntington [illegible] point from which the talked of branch of [illegible] the Short Line is to start and run [illegible] Central Oregon to the Willamette valley [illegible] to the coast. The Oregon Pacific also [illegible] a line through the same section [illegible] above mentioned is sent out to survey on [illegible] line and probably to commence work [illegible] important point or points in order to [illegible] the route, as it were, or something of that [illegible] Probably full information on the matter will [illegible] in time but everything connected [illegible] is kept very shady at present.

POLICE COURT.—In the police court yesterday [illegible] McGowan was arraigned on a charge of [illegible] He pleaded not guilty, and said: "I [illegible] for a cent since I have been [illegible] to leave yesterday, but I [illegible] let me go now. I'll swear you will [illegible] again." "You had an opportunity of [illegible]" remarked Judge Dement, "but [illegible] of it. Your face is very [illegible] and the officers tell me [illegible] At the end of twenty [illegible]" McGowan is a fellow who [illegible] his arrival here [illegible] He is also one of a class who [illegible] possessing themselves of property [illegible] people. Charles Smith likewise [illegible] to vagrancy and will be tried [illegible]

[illegible] WHARF.—The new [illegible] Paper company [illegible] dock at the foot of [illegible] and Manager [illegible] comfortably located and [illegible] an office as [illegible] finish is cedar [illegible] of light and [illegible] at the rear to put [illegible] and smoke. If one ever [illegible] Lime and Cement company [illegible] office constructed at the [illegible] at the foot of Alder street [illegible] more lively around [illegible] have made the [illegible] Traveler and [illegible]

MEETING OF THE HOMEOPATHISTS.—[illegible] meeting of the Oregon State Homeopathic [illegible] society will be held in this [illegible] First street, between Washington [illegible] Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday [illegible] The first meeting will [illegible] Tuesday. After the [illegible] business [illegible] of reports will be [illegible] bureaus as follows: [illegible] Drs. E. Miller, F. D. Miller [illegible] Dr. A. B. Nichols [illegible] Drs. E. L. Miller, S. [illegible] Dr. W. L. Miller [illegible] pathology, Drs. Wm. Geiger [illegible] The homeopathic fraternity [illegible] invited also those who may be [illegible] in homeopathy.

PORTLANDERS IN SAN FRANCISCO.—[illegible] Portland who is at present visiting San Francisco, writes under date of April [illegible] entering the reading room of the Palace hotel [illegible] I found eleven Webfooters, [illegible] OREGONIAN. In the same room [illegible] I found thirteen Portlanders, five from [illegible] City, three from Albina and four from [illegible] Portland. All one could hear talked [illegible] the Columbia river, East Portland [illegible] river etc. All seemed in high glee about [illegible] prospect of Portland. John D. [illegible] of East Portland is here and leaves in a day [illegible] for Idaho and Montana, to [illegible] for a syndicate of English [illegible] who have extensive [illegible] interests [illegible]

STANDING UP FOR THEIR RIGHTS.—The [illegible] have at last come to the conclusion [illegible] have some rights which [illegible] bound to respect. Two meetings [illegible] few days since composed [illegible] place, to discuss the [illegible] the Columbia river [illegible] property from unlawful [illegible] either on land or water [illegible] up under the name of [illegible] cent and thirty men became [illegible] majority of signers were [illegible] property there who depend upon the [illegible] for maintenance and [illegible] legitimate business interfere [illegible]

WANTS TO BUILD A FLOATING D[illegible]—[illegible] Eureka, Cal., who has built [illegible] extending a marine railway at that [illegible] a gentleman here to [illegible] for such an arrangement [illegible] also versed in the construction [illegible] thinks one adapted to docking [illegible] could be built for $100,000. [illegible] of the kind [illegible] being a failure. A marine railway [illegible] practicable here owing to [illegible] of the water, but a [illegible] probably prove a paying [illegible]

WAS EXAMINED TO-DAY.—[illegible] who cut P. F. O'[illegible] during a quarrel [illegible] the police court [illegible] to kill, provide [illegible] O'Brien is in [illegible] when last heard from [illegible] improving. His [illegible] Messrs. Bloom and [illegible] for [illegible] their [illegible] First street.

[illegible] STEAM [illegible]—[illegible] of Salem has [illegible] the wreath on a [illegible] two pennywe[illegible] of the valve stroke is 16-100ths [illegible] valve stroke is [illegible] machine when run by [illegible] revolutions [illegible] minute. It is now [illegible] and the little thing is [illegible]

THE PROPERTY RECOVERED.—[illegible] stabbed by George Morey in [illegible] weeks ago, is still at the [illegible] treatment. He was badly cut [illegible] he will recover. Morey [illegible] and will not have his examination [illegible] court until such time as [illegible] As Lynton's ante mortem statement [illegible] the evening that he was stabbed [illegible] in case he should take a [illegible]

GODFREY'S BENEFIT.—The sale of seats [illegible] Godfrey's benefit which occurs Tuesday [illegible] to-day at McKercher & Thompson's [illegible] the second act of "A Merry War" [illegible] the second act of "Iolanthe." Miss G[illegible] Francisco and Mr. Murray are each down [illegible] in the concert and all it is needless [illegible] their best to please. The [illegible] and will no doubt have a pack[illegible]

[illegible] BURNED.—A day or two ago [illegible] who lives in South Portland was [illegible] with an accident. He had made [illegible] youngsters [illegible] consisting of a [illegible] with some powder inside. The [illegible] off and young Hellbock not [illegible] was severely burned about [illegible] Dr. Blaney attended him. [illegible] are painful but not serious.

[illegible] FISHING.—The fishing sloop [illegible] regular trips to the fishing grounds [illegible] of the Columbia, and according to the [illegible] with lots of fine fish which [illegible] market at Astoria. A few boxes [illegible] market here, though with plenty [illegible] at two bits apiece. Portland's [illegible]

[illegible] DANGER.—Jailer Dougherty says Dr. [illegible] and another physician examined Dr. [illegible] pronounced him all right. Gelsomino [illegible] recently turned into the corridor among [illegible] prisoners, and now comes [illegible] to the [illegible] the meals and coffee along with the [illegible] is the time so for hearing the [illegible]

[illegible] HOLIDAYS SATURDAYS.—Beginning to-[illegible] the O. R. & N. company will close their [illegible] at noon on Saturdays and this ar[illegible] for a half holiday for employes will [illegible] during the summer. The wharves will [illegible] and no freight will be received [illegible]

[illegible]—The principal officers of the [illegible] who were expected to arrive here [illegible] turned back at Ogden and are [illegible] It was a very hurried trip, and their [illegible] Portland is not known, but [illegible] this trip.

THE REPUBLICANS

The Ticket Completed Yesterday Morning

Frank Baker for State Printer—Several Contests for District Nominations—The Old Organization Retained

NOMINATION FOR STATE PRINTER.

Upon assembling yesterday morning the convention proceeded at once to the nomination of a candidate for state printer. Israel, representing Crook county, nominated G. W. Plimley of Baker; Atkinson, of Jackson, named A. G. Walling of Multnomah; Rogers, of Douglas, named F. M. Waite of Marion; Summers of Multnomah named Frank C. Baker of Multnomah; Yamhill county named D. C. Ireland; Kennedy of Benton named A. D. Churchill of Benton.

The first ballot stood: Plimley 32, Walling 40, Baker 31, Waite 31, Ireland 13, Churchill 11—no election. At this point Ireland was withdrawn in favor of Baker and Walling was also withdrawn.

Second ballot—Baker [illegible], Waite [illegible], Plimley [illegible], Churchill [illegible] and [illegible]. Baker was declared the nominee. This concluded the general ticket.

DISTRICT NOMINATIONS.

Shortly before [illegible] o'clock the convention took a recess of an hour to permit the delegates from the various districts to make up their local nominations. Upon reassembling at [illegible] o'clock the following nominations were reported and ratified by the convention:

First Judicial District—For judge, [illegible] Webster; prosecuting attorney, Kelly.

Second—For judge, R. S. Bean; prosecuting attorney, J. W. Rayburn.

Third—For judge, R. P. Boise; prosecuting attorney, C. A. Johns.

Fourth—For judge, L. B. Stearns; prosecuting attorney, Henry E. McGinn. No nomination was made for the state circuit judge of department No. 1.

Fifth—For judge, Frank J. Taylor; prosecuting attorney, T. A. McBride.

Sixth—For judge, M. L. Olmstead; prosecuting attorney, Glen O. Holman.

Seventh—For judge, George Watkins; prosecuting attorney, Wm. R. Ellis. For joint representatives from Crook, Wasco and Gilliam counties, A. R. Lyle of Crook and A. D. McDonald of Wasco.

The district nominations were easily made for the most part, but there were two or three hard contests. In the Portland district Stearns received twenty votes out of thirty-two and was nominated of course. It is hinted that the division was arranged and that if they had been required more votes would have been forthcoming. It was desired that the thing should not be [illegible] too [illegible] It was proposed to nominate for the other judgeship Frank Paxton, who wanted the [illegible] but it was feared that he could not be elected, and so the place was left vacant. It is the expectation of the delegates that the democrats will nominate Shattuck and endorse Stearns, in which case they will endorse Shattuck. Henry McGinn received eighteen votes to fifteen for Caples and was made the nominee for district attorney. [illegible] [illegible] to represent the county [illegible] state [illegible] [illegible] was by unanimous [illegible]

The contest in the seventh district was serious [illegible] Mays, who was an applicant for the [illegible] last year, objected to the nomination of Watkins on the ground that it was [illegible] The delegation refused [illegible] it a personal matter and nominated Watkins [illegible] to [illegible] Frank Nichols of Crook.

In the second district Bean was nominated for [illegible] The candidates [illegible] were J. W. Rayburn of Benton, C. A. Schubert [illegible] and A. M. Crawford of [illegible] were [illegible] for which [illegible] ballot. Rayburn was [illegible]

[illegible]

THE STATE COMMITTEE.

[illegible]

After the convention had adjourned [illegible] reorganized itself by electing Sim[illegible] of Multnomah chairman and [illegible] of Columbia secretary.

ADDITIONAL RESOLUTIONS.

During the morning session Miller of Josephine asked unanimous consent for the introduction of a resolution. It was granted, whereupon he presented the following, which was adopted by unanimous vote:

Resolved, That we favor the establishment of a national park to embrace Crater lake, lying in [illegible] township [illegible] south [illegible] east of the Willamette meridian, for the benefit of the people of the United States.

In the afternoon, shortly before adjournment, [illegible] of [illegible] county asked and obtained unanimous consent to present a resolution. He offered the following, which was adopted by unanimous vote:

Resolved, That we are in favor of constructing a wagon road from some point on the Oregon & California railroad running thence through the central [illegible] and Lake to the eastern boundary of Lake county, for the purpose of connecting said counties with the Willamette valley and thereby controlling the bulk of the wealth and industry of said counties. The commerce of which is now [illegible] off by the state of California.

In offering this resolution Mr. [illegible] explained [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] He said it [illegible] the largest [illegible] in the United States. Its [illegible] California [illegible] Oregon [illegible]

A NEW LAND [illegible].

[illegible] Mr. W. M. Cole[illegible] the opportunity [illegible] the convention [illegible] loud calls [illegible] Mr. McConnell [illegible] the platform [illegible] enthusiastic [illegible] Mr. McConnell [illegible] the convention [illegible] Every county [illegible] the work which he [illegible] It was [illegible] an [illegible] and [illegible] At the [illegible] pointed out how [illegible] party [illegible] the convention [illegible] Col. Cornelius was the candidate of the ring. When he asked was an ever nominated for an office unless he was the choice of some ring? If Cornelius was the candidate of the Portland ring he was a bad man. The ring had done better to take [illegible] from the country than to elevate some city monopolist.

Speaking of the candidate for treasurer Mr. McConnell declared that his record while he was a member of the legislature of 1883 was simply that of a [illegible] man. He had gone into caucus with a majority of his party and had held out with that majority for its choice for United States senator. There were, he declared, other members of that legislature who stood out against the caucus, who now wished they had taken another course. The speaker dilated on strong political organizations. This it was which nerved parties and made them vigorous and effective. The republican and democratic parties had now gotten so close to one another that there had ceased to be much difference between them. Their measures and courses were the cause, he declared, of the distress now affecting the country.

In these times, with Mr. McConnell's past connection with politics and politicians, this speech was a tremendous surprise. If it be studied it will be found full of points. The most interesting [illegible] of it was in the thrust at Sol Hirsch [illegible] whom a number of the legislature last year was [illegible] a candidate before that body for the [illegible] The speech taken altogether recalls the story as told in holy writ of Joab and Amasa. Joab, it will be remembered, took Amasa by the beard, remarking: "Art thou in health, my brother?" and at the same time smote him in the fifth rib and shed out his bowels to the ground.

ADJOURNMENT.

As soon as the business of the convention was done it adjourned, waiting only to thank the railroad companies for half fare rates to and from the city and the Roseburg boys' band for their music. A vote of thanks was tendered the president and secretaries, to which President Fulton gracefully responded.

ACCEPTANCE AND THANKS.

President Fulton received the following dispatch yesterday:

WASHINGTON, D. C., April [illegible]

I resent to the convention my cordial thanks, my earnest and grateful appreciation for this renewed honor.

BINGER HERMANN.

NO ENTHUSIASM.

About half the delegates cleared out for home by trains departing in the afternoon, and all will be gone by to-night. It cannot be said they leave in a high state of enthusiasm. The ticket as a whole is not considered a strong one by the delegates, and many are outspoken in declaring that it will have a "hard row to hoe." The success of the Portland [illegible] arrangement in getting the lion's share of the ticket [illegible] the country delegates [illegible] was held [illegible] when one was proposed [illegible] If the truth must be told the prospects are not considered hopeful.

PRIVATE.

[illegible] it was stated that [illegible] The [illegible] for supreme [illegible] was stated.

THE COUNTY DEMOCRACY

They Recommend that the County Convention Postpone Nominations for County Officers

A meeting of the county democracy was held last evening in Masonic hall. After the reading of the minutes the delegates proceeded to elect a president in place of W. D. Fenton, who recently resigned. The candidates for the position were H. B. Nicholas and Judge A. S. Bennett. The latter was elected. He assumed the chair and in a brief speech thanked the convention for the honor conferred upon him. A vote of thanks was then tendered to W. D. Fenton, the retiring officer.

A. N. Steeves here took the floor and spoke to the effect that the county democracy was [illegible] the democratic county convention [illegible] the sense of the county democracy that the [illegible] convention meet on Saturday [illegible] that [illegible] the state convention and then adjourn for the purpose of considering the matter of the [illegible] of candidates for county [illegible] Mr. Steeves expressed himself that the members of the convention should meet on [illegible] and consider the question of nominations and then [illegible] making them.

P. Celders said it was not within the power of the county democracy to pass such a [illegible] it was a matter for the convention to [illegible] were elected for that purpose.

Fred V. Holman also opposed Mr. Steeves' [illegible] He thought the convention could most [illegible] its business as best suited them.

Some little debate followed. W. D. Fenton [illegible] moved the motion of Mr. Steeves [illegible] The latter said he thought a suggestion of a representative body of democrats to the county convention was not out of place. They did not direct the convention to do anything, but they should not do anything rash. Good nominations should be made and the qualifications of the candidates considered, also whether they would accept or not. Mr. Steeves's motion was finally voted upon and carried. All present [illegible] on the proposition of having as strong a ticket as possible placed in the field.

It was moved and carried that the county democracy give the state central committee the [illegible] their hall for holding the state convention and the county convention was invited to hold their session in the Masonic hall.

A meeting of the democratic delegates to the county convention will be held to-night [illegible] Masonic hall at 8 o'clock for private conference.

NORTHERN PACIFIC OFFICIALS

Arrival of Vice President Oakes and Party—Presentation of a Flag at Ellensburg

[illegible] express [illegible] two private cars with the following party: T. F. Oakes, vice president and general manager of the Northern Pacific; J. M. Buckley, assistant general manager; C. B. Wright of Philadelphia; Mrs. [illegible], Miss Annie Wright, Miss Washington, William Wright and Mr. [illegible], son of the general counsel of the Pennsylvania railroad company. Mr. Buckley met them at Helena Saturday and the party all this way on Sunday night making no stops on the way. A [illegible] carriages were [illegible] the [illegible] of the post [illegible] Spokane [illegible] the party [illegible] falls and for Mr. Oakes [illegible] address. From there the party proceeded to [illegible] Mr. Wright [illegible] himself [illegible]

[illegible]

BRIEF MENTION

[illegible]

The Gorga Minstrels will [illegible] at [illegible]

[illegible] First and Main [illegible]

[illegible] to wed was issued [illegible] W. Moser and Edith M. Cartwright.

[illegible] to Miss Bertha Frank at Albany [illegible]

[illegible] to play [illegible] of the May [illegible] leave the names [illegible] wakefield and called early to-morrow.

A duster and dust pan drill will be given [illegible] young ladies in costume at the Taylor street church social Wednesday evening, May [illegible]

Charles Sivie's general contracting agent for W. W. Cole's shows arrived here yesterday. The circus will reach here about the middle of August.

The Y. W. C. T. U. will hold its regular meeting at the W. C. T. U. hall to-day at 3 P. M. [illegible] invitation to all young ladies [illegible] all members to be present.

Mr. C. H. Dodd gives the third number in the course of practical talks this evening in Y. M. C. A. hall. Young men not members of the association may obtain tickets without cost at the office of the association, corner First and Salmon streets.

The [illegible] opera company and the attaches of the Casino opera house have received an invitation to attend the public May ball at the Pavilion on Saturday night, and as the prize waltz and moonlight waltz take place at 11 and 12 P. M. they will all probably attend and will arrive there by [illegible] o'clock.

The [illegible] band have been invited to stay [illegible] and attend the May ball at the Pavilion on Saturday night. [illegible] seats have been placed on the lower floor adjoining the polished dancing surface. The floor has been entirely covered [illegible] electric lights will illuminate the [illegible] hall.

The [illegible] Portland Lime and Cement [illegible] was fired [illegible] yesterday and [illegible] the [illegible] There is a big stock of cord wood on hand and several teams [illegible] more [illegible] narrow gauge track runs from the [illegible] in with [illegible] to each of the three fire boxes [illegible]

PERSONAL.

[illegible] in the city [illegible]

Mr. T. C. [illegible] returned this week [illegible]

If Harry [illegible] is in [illegible] will please communicate with Herbert [illegible] Portland, Or.

Mr. A. I. [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] is [illegible] returning to-morrow.

Mrs. O. C. [illegible] of this city left [illegible] to visit her relatives [illegible] both the [illegible]

Mr. W. Allen, Or. [illegible] is coming [illegible] New Orleans exposition [illegible] Northern Pacific with [illegible] family.

Mr. [illegible] Halloran, editor of the [illegible] arrived here Wednesday [illegible]

Foster [illegible], who went to [illegible] Wisconsin some weeks ago to bring home his family who have been visiting friends there, returned Wednesday evening. While away Mr. [illegible] inspected the workings of postoffices at St. Paul, Milwaukee and Chicago and may have learned something which will enable him to improve the service here.

PUBLIC SERENADE

The [illegible] junior band gave our popular clothier Arthur Kohn a serenade at his mammoth clothing emporium corner Second and Morrison streets yesterday noon. After playing several airs they were all invited into the store and told to help themselves in the necktie department and select what they wanted with compliments of Mr. Kohn. The boys have made Kohn a kind of headquarters while here and showed their appreciation of attentions paid by the serenade. Boys, please accept Mr. Kohn's thanks and best wishes for the compliment, and Prof. [illegible] the leader deserves great praise in bringing these boys, so young in years, to the proficiency they have in the art of music. May success crown their efforts.

THE STAGE

THE GEORGIAS.—These celebrated colored minstrels will open at the New Market theater to-night. The minstrels are well spoken of, and we are informed they give a really good performance. They have four end men, several good dancers and singers, a good band and orchestra and will make a street parade in uniform about noon to-day. Seats are on sale at Frentice's.

DELEGATES, ATTENTION.—Remember in buying furniture etc., G. Shindler & Co. the leading manufacturers are headquarters for that line. Next door to the St. Charles hotel.

Twenty house and bedding plants for $1. Choice rose buds 50 cents per dozen at W. G. Wilkes, Thirteenth street between N and O.

The spring patterns are very attractive as offered at the Portland Tailoring parlors, 151 Morrison street. The cutters are first class.

I. Jacobs, manager Northwestern Outfitting company, southwest corner First and Taylor.

See that fine display of bronzes and engravings in the large window of H. & G. Gump, 181 First street, to-day and Saturday.

Latest styles in bedroom sets in oak, cherry, bog oak, and black walnut, as well as a complete line of book cases and secretaries. An inspection of these new goods is invited. G. Shindler & Co., warerooms 168 First and 167 Front.

THE UPPER COLUMBIA TRIP.

Return of the O. R. & N. Party, who Got as Far as Rock Island Rapids

Notes of the Journey—How the Steamer John Gates Got over and Sounded the First Whistle above Priest's Rapids

Last night a special train arrived here bringing Manager [illegible] and Superintendent Lowe of the O. R. & N. Co. and party, who left on the 19th for the purpose of determining the practicability of navigating the Columbia at Priest's rapids, and to steam as far above as could be done with due regard to the safety of the boat. Dr. Basil Norris, medical director of the department of the Columbia, was one of the guests. He was found at the [illegible] by an OREGONIAN reporter and in answer to questions, said the voyage in waters that had never before been plowed by a steamboat, stated that he had taken notes of the trip which he had read to [illegible] fellow voyagers and which they approved.

With [illegible] further information of the stage of water the party [illegible] by special train to the terminus of the railroad on Snake river at Riparia, where on the morning of the 20th they entered [illegible] was transferred to the steamer John Gates, one of the largest of the Snake river fleet, belonging to the company. As a trial trip and to make an [illegible] as [illegible] and [illegible] it was [illegible] the Gates steamed [illegible] and in the Clearwater river to Lewiston, on the Nez Perce Indian reservation. At Ainsworth the [illegible] the expected dispatch was received and the [illegible] turned her bow for a run down the [illegible] and [illegible] Priest rapids, the object of her destination.

ASCENDING PRIEST RAPIDS.

At [illegible] on the afternoon of the [illegible] the [illegible] the sixth rapid, the first to propose any obstacle to easy navigation. A landing was effected on the left bank and preparations immediately commenced for lining up the boat, preparations which consist of arrangements for pulling the boat by a line fastened on the shore above the rapid and allowed to float down the current tied to a barrel. The boat, on reaching the barrel, now floating where the current is strongest, picks it up with the line attached and winding the rope around the capstan is thus drawn forward by the line and propelled by the wheel.

At [illegible] on the [illegible] the Gates pushed off from her landing and steamed into the rapid, steering for the barrel and the line, which at [illegible] was hauled aboard and the capstan set in motion. In order to note the time in passing, up two prominent round rocks in the channel were selected as guides for observation. They each were about twenty feet in diameter and twenty feet apart. By the watch the bow of the boat is seen to come in a horizontal line with the lower border of the first rock at [illegible], passed upper border at [illegible]. The line snagged and caught [illegible] her bow [illegible] time on a line with the [illegible] second rock at [illegible] for sighting and [illegible] at [illegible] The distance as measured [illegible] was [illegible] and the time [illegible] hour [illegible] minutes. [illegible] the fifth rapid [illegible] finishing at [illegible]

Last Sunday, April [illegible] the Gates pushed off from the landing [illegible] and for the [illegible] which [illegible] says [illegible] in his book [illegible] It [illegible] A. M. [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] first rapid of [illegible] the [illegible] Priest rapids the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] water [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] of [illegible] first white [illegible] the first steamboat [illegible]

[illegible]

SUCCESS AT ROCK ISLAND RAPIDS.

[illegible] the river [illegible] channels [illegible] the [illegible] At right angles to the [illegible] [illegible] the first [illegible] then [illegible] [illegible] with [illegible] light [illegible] the [illegible] where she tied up for the night. Next day at [illegible] and arrived at [illegible] where [illegible] The party reached Portland at [illegible] P. M.

FROM SPRAGUE, W. T.

At a meeting of the Sprague Temperance [illegible] club held at the Congregational church in Sprague, W. T., Sunday evening, April 25, 1886, a committee of three, consisting of A. W. Holland, Rev. Mr. McConnell and Rev. Sinclair was appointed by the president of said club to draft resolutions and report to the club immediately. Whereupon the said committee recommended the indorsement and adoption of the following resolutions of the W. C. T. U. and the same were adopted by the club with a further resolution that a copy of said resolutions and the proceedings relative thereto be sent to THE OREGONIAN for publication.

C. W. [illegible], Secretary. I. S. ROADMAN, President.

WHEREAS, The W. C. T. U. of Sprague, W. T., is [illegible] organization [illegible] the temperance [illegible] of the community at large; and

WHEREAS, This union has been assailed with shame and [illegible] in the open and [illegible] which certain temperance meetings addressed by Col. Hawkins have been disturbed by parties here [illegible] mentioned; and

WHEREAS, Said disturbances were instigated [illegible] to the peace and dignity of the [illegible] insult to society and especially to the ladies present at said meetings; therefore be it

Resolved, That we hold Ferguson, M. Murphy and James Campbell, liquor dealers of Sprague, responsible for the above [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] conduct.

Resolved, That we look with scorn and utter disapproval upon the said parties [illegible] of the [illegible] by the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Resolved, That our [illegible] hearty thanks be tendered Col. Hawkins for the gentlemanly and [illegible] spirit with which he [illegible] and [illegible] under which he [illegible] addressed [illegible]

Resolved, That the W. C. T. U. of Sprague will [illegible] without hesitation [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible], President W. C. T. U.

MRS. [illegible] HEDDING, Secretary.

[illegible] Sprague, W. T., April [illegible]

SUMMONED TO EX-PRESIDENT ARTHUR.

NEW YORK, April 29.—A Washington special says: Rev. Leonard, rector of St. John's Episcopal church here, has been summoned to New York to see ex-President Arthur.

NEW LAWS IN NEW YORK.

ALBANY, April [illegible].—The governor signed to-day [illegible] Saturday half holiday bill [illegible] The standard gas bill became a law to-day without the governor's signature, the time having expired.

BANK FAILURE.

MARIETTA, O., April [illegible].—The bank of Marietta closed its doors this morning, having made an assignment.

TO THE LADY OF THE HOUSE.—Baum, Brandes & Co., 145 First, have issued 5000 circulars as above addressed, in which they announce a marked reduction in ice creams, water ices, etc., and the ladies will please give them their careful consideration.

FINE CRAYON.—Mr. [illegible] W. Moore, the crayon artist, has just finished a fine crayon portrait of Miss Bebe Vining, which has been placed in the window of Feldenheimer's jewelry store. It is Moore's best.

THE OREGONIAN AT OREGON CITY.—The Sunday edition will reach the falls city at noon hereafter and those desiring copies should give orders to boys who will deliver promptly all over the city.

FROM VANCOUVER.—The Lurline will leave Vancouver to-morrow at 6:15 P. M. with passengers to the Casino. The purser will supply seats upon application.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT

PORTLAND, April 29—6:49 P. M.

Place of Observation	[illegible]	[illegible] Ther	[illegible]	[illegible]	Rain fall	State of Weather
Portland		10	[illegible]		00	[illegible]
Olympia		0	[illegible]	SW	01	cldy
[illegible]		1	41	W		cldy
Red Bluff				S	00	cldy
Sacramento				SW	00	Fair
[illegible]				[illegible]	00	cldy
[illegible]		01	44	[illegible]	04	cldy
[illegible]		[illegible]		SW	2	[illegible]
Spokane		0	4	SW		[illegible]
Walla Walla			4	SW	00	cldy

Minimum thermometer [illegible] maximum [illegible]

TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

SAN FRANCISCO, April [illegible].—8 P. M.—Indications for the succeeding thirty-two hours for Washington territory and Oregon: occasional rains followed [illegible] generally fair weather.

OUTGOING PASSENGERS

The Oregon sailed at midnight with the following passengers:

M Marcus	H Lee
C J Hainly	B Hicks
F Lansing & wife	Mrs Taylor & child
Mrs H B Haub	Mrs Quick & child
Mrs I Hatfield	Mrs Samuel Lawson
Mrs A C Miller	M Lichtenstein
H W Rohost	Mrs Huntington
D Wright	C W Griffin
R Schurer	G Buckingham
J Baxter	Dr F P Vaux
F Senior	W I Chalmers
E H Clark	Mrs C W Haskins & ch
Mrs J S Gilland	Mrs Mary Vorheis
Mrs Lawson	Miss Norton
Miss McDowell	Mrs I Brownson & d
Mrs Denny	Rev Parker, wf & 2 ch
I Paradise	R P Uletic
W M Goodman	C H Clark
J W McLean	And 20 in the steerage

OVERLAND PASSENGERS.

Passed Heron to arrive over the Northern Pacific, [illegible] W. Allen, wife and family, A. C. Stager [illegible] South and thirty-five immigrants.

Passed Huntington to arrive over the Short Line—Mrs. M. Bollan [illegible] and thirty-one immigrants.

Passed Medford to arrive over the Oregon & California—A. G. Glenn, San Francisco.

WHY SMOKE CABBAGE LEAVES?

[illegible] the Fusilier's Punch 5c cigars from [illegible] & [illegible], agents, Fir [illegible] and Main.

NOTICE.

[illegible] British [illegible] will give them [illegible] by taking the [illegible]

New York Fashion [illegible] and Edward [illegible] books and stationers at Washington street.

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CARBOLIC SALVE,

The most Powerful Healing Ointment ever Discovered.

Henry's Carbolic Salve cures Sores.

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Ladies Muslin Gowns, each	50c
Ladies Fancy Col'd Cotton Hose, pair	[illegible]c
Ladies Muslin Corset Covers, each	[illegible]c
Children's Col'd Border Handkerchiefs, each	1c
Hamburg Embroideries	from 1c a yard up
Linen and Torchon Laces	from [illegible] a yard up
Hamburg All Overs, newest patterns, per yd	25c
Orient Laces, cream white and beige	5c up

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8 Styles of Ladies' Lawn Aprons 20c

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Dotted Swisses, Lawns, Buntings, Skirtings, Shadings, Patterns,

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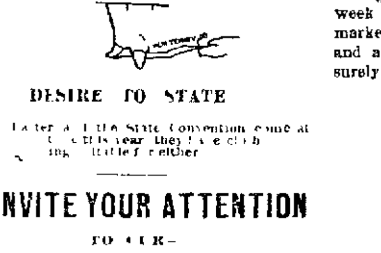

DESIRE TO STATE

[illegible] State Convention come at [illegible] this year they [illegible] little [illegible] either.

WE INVITE YOUR ATTENTION

TO OUR—

"Warren" Sack Suit, neat pattern, at	$10 00
"Trumbull" Sack Suit	14 00
Broken Plaid Sack Suit	16 00
Nobby Glenham Sack Suit	18 00
Drab Carmonia Sack Suit	18 00
Gray Mohair Sack Suit	20 00
Nobby Plaid Sack Suit	20 00
Corkscrew 1-button cutaway Frock Suit	22 50
Cassimere 3-button cutaway Frock Suit	14 00
Melton 3-but. cutaway Frock Suit	15 00

[illegible] the Suit.

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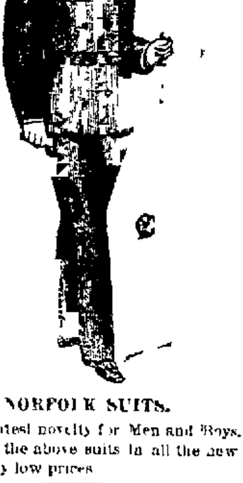
YOUTHS' SUITS.

For ages 12 to 17 years. A Special Bargain this week. Six different styles of $12 50 Suits marked down to $10 a Suit, guaranteed all wool and a big bargain. See them and you will surely purchase one.



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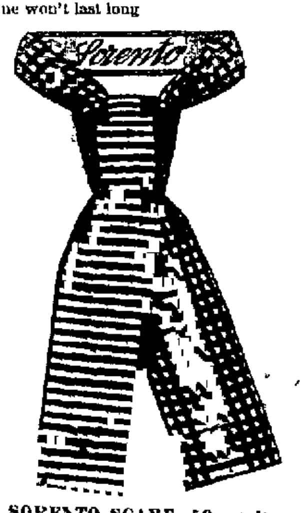
The very latest novelty for Men and Boys. A large line of the above suits in all the new colorings at very low prices.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR.

[illegible] at very low prices. [illegible] Underwear in fine grades, [illegible]

For this week only 45 Suits Brettel's Irish Balbriggan Underwear at $10 a Suit—regular price $1[illegible] guaranteed to be the finest made and the most durable, in beautiful colors. Those in need had better call early, as this line won't last long.



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100 dozens Fancy Scarfs, above shape, at 50c each—regular price $1 each. Also, large lot, similar shape.

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Illustrated Catalogue free to any address.

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ADDITIONAL TELEGRAPH.

THE LABOR TROUBLES

POWDERLY ON STRIKES AND ARBITRATION.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Powderly has in the *North American Review* for May a paper on "Strikes and arbitration," in which he says: The prospect for the future of the laboring man in America is brighter to-day than it ever was, notwithstanding the seemingly strained relations at present existing between employer and employe. The growth of our organization for the past ten years has been steady and healthy. It is only where the organization is in its infancy that serious trouble, such as strikes and lockouts exist. The workingman of the United States will soon realize that he possesses a power which kings once held, that he has a right to manage his own affairs. The power of kings has passed away, and the power of wealth is passing away. The people are not quite ready, but they are safe. It is the power of monopoly that is not safe. Men who monopolize fortunes must compensate for that privilege in the payment of a graduated income tax. Hours of labor must be reduced throughout the nation so that [illegible] may have more time in which to learn the science of self government. Labor-saving machinery instead of making a slave of man must become his servant. How will the workingman wield his power? Organized labor says that power will be wisely handled, but we must have the co-operation of the vast middle classes. The employer and employed must no longer stand apart. Joint boards of arbitration should be formed between manufacturers and workingmen all over the country. Agreements of this kind will be the means of settling differences as they arise, and with their inauguration strikes, lockouts and boycotts will not be entered upon so readily, and [illegible] called into play then only as the very last resort.

AN EIGHT HOUR STRIKE.

CHICAGO, April 29.—Freight handlers on one division of the Northwestern railway struck at noon to-day for eight hours and ten hours' pay.

The announcement that freight handlers on the Galena division of the Northwestern road had stopped work without awaiting a reply to their demand for eight hours has proven incorrect. The men remained on duty after making the demand.

CHICAGO, April 29.—General Superintendent Wheeler and Vice President Hughitt said they would take no notice of the demand of the freight handlers. "We are [illegible]," said they, "[illegible] employs [illegible] any department [illegible] with the business of [illegible] road. We [illegible] trains and [illegible]."

Freight handlers of the Chicago & Alton resolved to-night to [illegible] without a corresponding increase in compensation. The Baltimore & Ohio and the Illinois Central freight men are also reported to be dissatisfied with the present condition of affairs, and it is said to-night that the Wabash freight-house men are inclined to join the movement inaugurated in the St. Paul and other roads. It seems to be the opinion of the officers of the roads whose men have asked for a reduction of hours [illegible] that the employes will be unable successfully to inaugurate the movement owing to the fact that they have no union. It is the intention of the men, however, to form a society. For this purpose a meeting of all persons employed in the local freight houses will be held to-morrow evening.

THE [illegible] NOT CONDEMNED BY THE [illegible]

CHICAGO, April 29.—Referring to the report that Archbishop Taschereau of Montreal had issued a mandate forbidding Catholics to [illegible] Knights of Labor as being one of the dangerous societies [illegible] with Free Masonry, [illegible] of Chicago, speaking for Archbishop Feehan, said to-day: "The Knights of Labor order is not [illegible] of the societies condemned by the church. It is not to be placed in the same category with Free Masonry and similar secret societies. There is a wide difference between their purposes as well as influence on the religious life of individual members. The Knights of Labor is composed of laboring men having no ulterior object other than to receive just compensation for their labor. If there has been bloodshed in any place accompanying the existing strikes it has rather been caused by the starvation wages given by monopolies than by malice or ill will of workingmen. The Knights of Labor as a society I do not believe is responsible for this shedding of blood. Workingmen have a right to receive just compensation for honest labor. The wives and children of employers live [illegible] and dress finely while the laborer's family barely has enough to keep away actual want. I am perfectly willing to publish my views on this question so far as they relate to better pay for the working man, [illegible] because the society has but this one object [illegible] does not interfere with the religious belief of its members nor assume the position of religious teaching, the church has not and does not forbid [illegible] from joining it."

EIGHT HOUR DEMONSTRATION.

BALTIMORE, April 29.—The first public demonstration in this city of organized labor in favor of the eight hour system took place to-night. There was a monster torchlight procession, in which many thousand men representing all classes of labor took part, followed by a mass meeting at the Concordia opera house, where addresses were made by P. J. McGuire of Cleveland, secretary of the Carpenters' Brotherhood, J. McNamara of Washington and others. It is understood that house carpenters will demand eight hours after May 1. Builders are willing to compromise on nine hours, but there is not much probability of an amicable settlement, and a strike is looked for. To-night's meeting was very enthusiastic, and it is said that all branches of labor will demand shorter hours before very long.

THE SITUATION AT ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, April 29.—The executive committee of the Knights of Labor have held no formal meeting as yet to consider the proposition of the citizens' committee looking to a settlement of the Southwest strike. All the members of the executive committee are not in the city, and no action can be taken until they can bring together a quorum. Committeemen were asked this morning what were the prospects for an early settlement, and replied that they would consider the letter of the citizens' committee, but did not think the propositions contained in it would effect a settlement of the strike, because it takes no cognizance of their grievances.

THE STRIKE AT MILWAUKEE.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 29.—Every planing mill of importance in the city shut down to-day. The men recently organized an assembly of Knights of Labor with a membership of about 500. Their demand for eight hours' work at the present ten hours' pay was rejected by the proprietors. A strike was ordered, and to-day every mill is shut down and will stay so until the men will accept what the proprietors claim to be more reasonable terms. In addition to the Knights of Labor several hundred other workmen at the mills are thrown out of work by the shut down.

POVERTY STRICKEN.

NEW YORK, April 29.—With a few exceptions the new employes on the Third avenue lines show evidences of poverty that comes from the lack of work. All of them tell the same story of hardship, in many cases of abject need and repeated failures to secure work. In not a few instances the hostility of labor unions and of Knights of Labor have prevented them from getting employment.

COAL MINERS TO STRIKE.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 29.—Saturday morning next all the miners employed in the Kanawha coal region will strike, as the operators have refused to give the prices demanded. This will affect about 5000 men. Along the New river the miners will not strike as a general thing, as they are receiving the wages asked.

STRIKE OF CIGARMAKERS.

KEY WEST, April 29.—Three hundred cigar makers have struck at Gato's factory and 100 at Ellinger's. In the former place they demanded the discharge of an objectionable employe, and in the latter they followed the retiring foreman.

WILL NOT OBJECT.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 29.—Furniture manufacturers of this city have resolved that no objections will be made to the introduction of the eight-hour system. If unjust or excessive demands are made upon any one of them, all will close down.

A SUCCESSFUL STRIKE.

CINCINNATI, April 29.—The trouble with freight handlers and yardmen at Stow's station, on the Ohio & Mississippi railroad, was settled to-day by the company granting the increase.

THE TURF.

AT NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, April 29.—The track was lumpy. First race for beaten horses, one mile—Osceola won by a head, Luna Brown second, Charley Lucas third; time, 1:48¼.

Second race, one and one-eighth miles—Punka won by two lengths, Bonanza second, Josh Billings third; time, 2:01.

Third race, Howard handicap, one and one-half miles—Monocrat won by two lengths, Bob Miles second; only two ran; time, [illegible].

Fourth race, selling purse, one and one-sixteenth miles—Brevet won by half a length, Lagan second, [illegible] third; time, 1:54.

AT NASHVILLE.

NASHVILLE, April 29.—The weather was fine, the track in good condition and the attendance large.

First race, Jackson stakes, two-year-olds, half mile—Patton won by a nose, Prodigal second, Orsman third; time, 53¼.

Second race, Kennesaw stakes, for three year olds, one mile—Red Girl won by a nose, Vida H. second, Cuban Queen third; time, 1:44¾.

Third race, handicap, one and one-sixteenth miles—Falconer won by half a length, Adonis second, Grimaldi third; time, 1:53.

Fourth race, selling purse, three-fourth miles—Ascender won by a length, Redbuck second, [illegible] third; time, 1:19¼.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NEWS ITEMS FROM VICTORIA.

VICTORIA, April 29.—The interest of the public in the case of Sproule, the American condemned to die May [illegible], has been awakened by the publication of the affidavit of one Charles Wolfe of Kootenay, principal witness for the prosecution, on whose evidence Sproule was convicted of murder, that his whole testimony was a fabrication and the result of a conspiracy with others to hang Sproule and possess themselves of his mining claim. Sproule's counsel is at Ottawa pleading his case. A public meeting is called for Monday night to consider the [illegible].

Latest advices from the [illegible] state that the catch is improving.

Steps have been taken to insure that the Canadian Pacific China line steamers will touch at Victoria, coming from and going to the Orient.

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A Southern Paper's Fling.

Atlanta Constitution (Dem.)

Brer Bill Morrison will grow tired after a while. Then, after he grows tired, if he still wants free trade, he can go to beautiful Albion, where free trade is at its best.

The body is more susceptible to benefit from Hood's Sarsaparilla now than at any other season.

THE EAST SIDE

Programme of the Coming Ministerial Association—Sudden Death Yesterday—Saloon Keepers Arrested—General Notes

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION.

Beginning on Monday next, the Ministerial association of the Portland district, Oregon annual conference will be held in the M. E. church, corner Ninth and E streets, this city. The session will continue three days. A large number of ministers and their friends are expected to be present. Following is the programme:

MONDAY.

[illegible] P. M.—Church Extension. Addresses by [illegible] Hines, D. D., G. W. Pierce and S. [illegible] W[illegible].

TUESDAY.

[illegible]—Devotional Exercises, T. A. Hull.
[illegible]—The Class Meeting, B. B. Case and [illegible]
[illegible]—How to Care for our Converts, C. [illegible] and John McIntire.
[illegible]—Christian Benevolence, B. J. Sharp and C. Alderson.
[illegible]—Evangelists, J. P. Tower and T. C. [illegible]
[illegible]—Effective Preaching, J. W. Caswell and J. [illegible]
[illegible]—Missionary Meeting. Addresses by W. [illegible], D. D., G. W. Chandler and [illegible]

WEDNESDAY.

[illegible]—Devotional Exercises, J. M. Weland.
[illegible]—Distribution of Tracts, J. H. W[illegible] and [illegible] Matthews.
[illegible]—Exegesis, [illegible]
[illegible]—The Sabbath, [illegible]
[illegible]—Call to the Ministry, S. A. Starr and J. [illegible]
[illegible]—Special Providence, M. C. Wire.
[illegible]—Temperance Meeting, O. L. Whitt, W. D. Nichols and T. Van Scoy, D. D.

Opening papers will be limited to twenty minutes, the speakers following ten, and in public discussion to five minutes. This applies only to [illegible]

[illegible] Parsons and S. P. Wilson [illegible] the [illegible] W. S. Harrington presiding elder.

SUDDEN DEATH.

[illegible] Mrs. Christina [illegible] county came to this city for the purpose of receiving medical treatment. She was a guest at the residence of her half sister, Mrs. H. C. Whitney, E street, between Fourth and Fifth, and was under the care of Dr. [illegible] of this city. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. [illegible] was seized with sudden and violent pains. A messenger was hastily dispatched for the attending physician, and a call was made for Dr. Watkins of Portland. Before the latter gentleman arrived, however, the unfortunate lady had breathed her last. The cause of death is supposed to have been [illegible] heart. Deceased is the daughter of Mr. [illegible] and leaves six children [illegible]. It has not yet been determined what disposition will be made of the remains.

SALOON KEEPERS ARRESTED.

Yesterday morning City Marshal M. M. [illegible] arrested [illegible] and J. Maguire, proprietors of the Ferry Exchange saloon, corner [illegible] street, on a warrant from the recorder [illegible] charged with keeping a disorderly house. The [illegible] resort where the disgraceful [illegible] of last Monday's [illegible]. The trial of defendants took place at [illegible] Recorder Gillespie, and the prisoners were found guilty. They paid $50 and costs. They were [illegible] to keep in future [illegible] license would be revoked.

MUSTERED IN.

The meeting of Sumner post, G. A. R., was a very interesting last evening. [illegible] Johnson, an aged veteran, was mustered into the Grand Army at the age of 83. Mr. Johnson was mustered into service June 10, 1861, as a private in Co. B, Nineteenth Illinois, and was honorably discharged July 8, 1864. The Ladies' Relief Corps of the post, learning that this venerable soldier was to be mustered in, stormed the fort last evening and made a flag of truce to business [illegible] the entire works. After spiking every gun of [illegible] and thus established a [illegible] government, spread the light throughout the post until a feast fit for the gods. Mr. Johnson is probably the oldest member of the Grand Army of the Republic on the coast, and Sumner post feels elated over the rich acquisition.

SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSION.

Active preparations are being made for the annual picnic excursion of the M. E. Sunday school of this city, which will take place on the 15th prox. The committee of arrangements, Messrs. F. L. Losson and J. A. Hines and Mesdames Leathers and Struble, are providing all the details. By reference to the advertisement in THE OREGONIAN it will be learned that Multnomah Falls have been selected as the site of the picnic, and the steamer Telephone has been chartered for the occasion.

NOTES.

Fred Weatherford, the O. R. & N. Co.'s agent at Umatilla, is down on a two weeks' vacation.

Dr. Belle J. Sellmeer will leave for Spokane Falls early next week to engage in the practice of her profession.

Capt. Wm. P. Miller arrived here last evening from San Jose, and is the guest of his brother-in-law, Dr. Dav Rafferty.

J. I. Gillespie, M. D., is fitting up apartments over the store formerly occupied by J. A. [illegible], where he will hang out his shingle.

THE HOTELS.

GILMAN.

J S Weller, Mt Idaho
C D Hakeman, N York
E F Craig, St Louis
E [illegible], Seattle
A J Coulther, Salem
Mrs A J Coulther, do
Frank Andrews, [illegible]
G W Hall, do
[illegible], U S A
John L Wisser, do
Basil Norris, do
J J McClernand, do

MERCHANT.

Miss L Hartfield, Spokan Falls
E A Crossan, Bridal Veil
Mrs A B McIlwain, Dalles
Miss N McIlwain, do
C S Sergent, Phenix
J H Wall, Junction City
Miss C M Danford, Chicago
J C Goldsmith, St Paul
C Angerine Mauka, Kas
W N Hoskinson, do
J J Dolton, do
Chas W Jones, do

HOLTON HOUSE.

Chas Swall & w, Chicago
M Lichtenstein, Sn Fran
M J Tiemner, do
F I Tower, Salem
J A Abernethy, do
J J Kendall, Seattle
A J Hueston & w, Scio
Jas McKay, Champoeg
Dr W J Farley, Warm Sp
J C Crosson, The Dalles
N W Talbert, Astoria
O A Turnbow, Palouse
Mrs F Butler, Monmouth
Mrs L A Butler, do
Miss O Butler, do
O D Butler, do
C F Backus, Hood River
W H Bingham, McMinn

ESMOND.

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J W Flwer, Spokane
J C Butler, Baltimore
E F Munroe, New York
Mrs J B Shepherd, Minap
J B Casey & w, do
F A Cook, Albany
W S Haskins, Idaho
B S Freed, Silverton
A T Bingham, Seattle
F W Talbott, Colfax
C B Upton, Walla Walla
C W Watts, Albany
C J Wilson, do
C N Prond, [illegible]
R H Martin, England
J E N Lane, San Fran
P I Collett, do
Peter Gilla[illegible], Pendleton

ST. CHARLES.

R S [illegible], Coos Bay
J J Jones, Oakland
Mrs Beckels, Spokane
Dr W Capps, Albany
J W Layborn & w, Corval
J J Meckel, Freeport
Mrs Strickler, Silver Lke
A Blaker, Shedds
F R Brown, Olympia
J I Tabenew, Holton
J Dillenburger, Brooks
Miss I Howard, Albany
W Birmingham, Tacoma
C Hastings, Chinook
S J Moore & fy, San Fran
Miss A Moore, do
Miss C Catlin, Freeport
G W Cary, N Yakima
J Lacksbury, [illegible]
J K Rowden, Liverpool
W A Edgerton, Clatskanie
Mrs Morton, Kalama
A G Johnson, The Dalles
C C McCoy, Walla Walla
J M Isaac, Roseburg
W J Conrad, Seattle
A Coolidge, Silverton
W McMicken, Olympia
J H Long, Chehalis
H J Anderson & w, Victor
Mrs C Cameron, Sitka

INTERNATIONAL.

Chas Martin, Seattle
C J Heald, Spokane
Cecil Law, do
A B Downes, Iowa
M C Creath, do
R C Mathews, do
J Helms, do
Joseph Helms, do
E C Dearmond, do
J Jacks & wf, Centerville
C Schaefer, New York
[illegible]
[illegible]
B [illegible] & wf, Lewiston
R Ollerfield, Salem
Mrs [illegible], do
E Kenny, Shasta
Jno Edwards, do
T B Pound, La Center
J W Bentley, Albany
N C Riley, Gales Creek
F Silvia, do
Geo Harrison, Astoria
Thos P Hammill, do
George Murphy, Neb
David Gallisen, do
George Day, New York
D Berry, Omaha
D Cronin, San Fran
E F Durie, McMinnville
J W Connor, Nebraska
H Hornege, do
P Peterson, do
Thos Donnelly, do
Wm Anderson, do
W S Ferguson, do
J Moran, do
John McNamara, do
M Rowe, do
D C Ireson, Mich
C [illegible], do
J J Adams, Almota
J W Harper, Minnesota
W M King, Albany
W S Bragg, Spokane
J Robinson, Roseburg
Henry Bickell, do
J Patterson & wf, do
Frnk Patterson, do
Miss Ida Patterson, do
Freddie Patterson, do
Miss F Patterson, do
H H Thompson, Wis
George Holmes, Chicago
Andrew Armstrong, do

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COMMERCIAL.

TUESDAY, April [illegible]

A sharp shower of rain fell this morning, after which clearing weather was promised, but some rain fell during the afternoon.

Overland receipts include 200 sks [illegible] car wagons, 280 sks sulphur, car plows, car farm engines, 20 bxs fruit jars, [illegible] rls barbed wire, 15 [illegible], 100 cads, 142 bxs tobacco, 12 pumps, 1 organ, [illegible] cs boots and shoes, 33 bxs scythes, 50 pkgs wagon material, 3 [illegible] bags, 400 sks [illegible], [illegible] springs, [illegible] buggies, [illegible]

PRODUCE RECEIPTS—Past 24 hours: [illegible] ctls wheat, [illegible] sks flour, 1142 ctls oats, 71 ctls mill stuff, 400 sks potatoes, 53 [illegible] hides, [illegible] cs eggs, 130 [illegible] hogs, [illegible] cs butter, 150 sheep. Also [illegible] ctls wheat, [illegible] ctls barley, [illegible] lbs wool, [illegible] lbs hides from the eastern section.

FREIGHTS—Since noon last Thursday the [illegible] under prior charter. The [illegible] passed out and the Cambria and Mills [illegible] cleared. Spot business consisted of [illegible] taking up of the Stirlingshire [illegible] and [illegible] all [illegible] at rates [illegible] the five last concluded to be [illegible] for [illegible] drop of 2s 6d from previous [illegible] Since the month [illegible] the [illegible] about the market. [illegible] At San Francisco [illegible] the week [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible] with grain	[illegible]
	Loading and to load	10 [illegible]
	[illegible] disengaged	[illegible]
	[illegible] disengaged	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] May [illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]

WHEAT—[illegible] for the week [illegible] Walla Walla [illegible] same week last year [illegible] The presence of [illegible] little of [illegible] some time ago and not [illegible] last week. [illegible] the week under review but a small amount of [illegible] was done [illegible] strong [illegible] and [illegible] Exporters have [illegible] freights is found [illegible] Liverpool [illegible] at 8s [illegible] New [illegible] On [illegible] is relatively [illegible] immediate [illegible] prospect of [illegible] 15 [illegible] wheat [illegible] prices and local values ought to [illegible] without [illegible] declines. [illegible] wheat drifts [illegible] is held by strong [illegible] slow sellers. [illegible] little [illegible] local [illegible] sold at $1 [illegible] the weaker feeling [illegible] better would be possible. As it is $1 [illegible] with some buyers [illegible] Walla Walla grades are not [illegible] $1 [illegible] probably being best [illegible] markets abroad with [illegible] and home deliveries [illegible] give the same information at the [illegible] wheat is not in the [illegible] American [illegible] is slowly creeping down without materially affecting any market. Lake navigation opened, the Atlantic seaboard will receive large quantities of wheat and corn, and must result in added exports. For the week ended about the 20th inst. the export from the Atlantic side was [illegible] 128 bushels wheat and [illegible] bbls flour, against [illegible] bushels and [illegible] bbls the preceding week. New York now holds in store four and a half million bushels of wheat, the entire grain storage being but little more than one year ago.

The following is a comparative statement of deliveries from English farmers, imports into the United Kingdom and quantities afloat for the weeks ended as below:

FARMERS' DELIVERIES.

April [illegible] 188[illegible]	[illegible]0 000 to 55 000 qrs wheat
April 2[illegible] 188[illegible]	[illegible] 000 to 60 000 qrs wheat
April [illegible] 188[illegible]	[illegible] 000 to 60 000 qrs wheat
April [illegible] 188[illegible]	40 000 to 45 000 qrs wheat

IMPORTS.

April [illegible] 188[illegible] (4 days)	50 000 to 60 000 qrs wheat 25 000 to 30 000 bbls flour
April [illegible] week	140 000 to 1[illegible] 000 qrs wheat 2[illegible] 000 to [illegible]0 000 bbls flour
April [illegible] 188[illegible]	110 000 to 115 000 qrs wheat 135 000 to 140 000 bbls flour
April [illegible] 188[illegible]	140 000 to 145 000 qrs wheat [illegible]0 000 to 245 000 bbls flour

QUANTITIES AFLOAT.

April [illegible] 188[illegible]	[illegible]5 000 qrs for U K [illegible] 000 qrs for Cont
April 10, 1885	[illegible] 000 qrs for U K [illegible] 000 qrs for Cont
April [illegible] 188[illegible]	[illegible] 000 qrs for U K [illegible] 000 qrs for Cont
April [illegible] 188[illegible]	[illegible] 000 qrs for U K [illegible] 000 qrs for Cont

FLOUR—Trade is still highly unsatisfactory and the current talk goes for anything some curious [illegible] business has been done. It is said parcels were placed with price to be fixed at the close of the month, the sellers believing an advance could be established by that time, but other agents are not willing to help out those who made such sales and no immediate change may be looked for. With a few large mills supplying about all this trade it would appear that they could easily raise prices to a level giving them some profit, but such has not been done and an adjustment is not possible at the present time. Local demands are nothing out of the ordinary and the market does not improve. Standards quoted $3 60@3 75 net. Outside brands in small stock. Receipts for the week were [illegible] [illegible] valley and 1400 bbls Walla Walla, both grades being in larger movement than during the preceding week. Steamers have taken out both grades in about the usual quantities.

MILLSTUFF—Receipts fair, stocks generally sufficient, and values show little change. [illegible] has been scarce with some dealers asking an advance. Quote jobbing values: Bran, $1[illegible]; shorts, $14@[illegible]; chop, $[illegible]; middlings, $[illegible]; Oil meal, $3[illegible] 50 per ton. The last steamer out had 1000 ctls shorts.

OATS—Receipts show some decrease, but it is of little consequence and dealers have easily supplied themselves at 38@40c. The shipping market has been marked by some irregularity and on the whole has not been strong. At San Francisco barley and corn being cheaper cut into the demand for feed oats and lots not strictly choice sold less readily. Shippers here have taken about the usual quantity, giving preference to the choicer grades and leaving the common for local buyers. As extremes for shipment 39@40c was paid. Millers sold for the usual advance, but offerings were restricted. Of late there has not been much poor to fair offered.

POTATOES—Receipts increased slightly over the preceding week, yet business is very quiet and shippers decline to handle the poor qualities. San Francisco reported a good market for choice, at the same time saying a large proportion of Oregon shipments were not sound. Returns proved the truth of this and left little profit to shippers, who declined to compete. Paying prices for choice include [illegible]c per bushel for Peerless and Garnets and 85c for Burbank. New California received here sold in a small way at 2@2½c, costing 1¼@1[illegible]c in San Francisco.

ONIONS—Few offering and stocks are low. Dealers pay [illegible] readily, which is rather more than the shipping [illegible] will stand. [illegible] purchases [illegible] localities.

EGGS—Receipts steady, large, with good demands, and values for the week marked little [illegible] this being a drop [illegible] to 11c. At the close the market is fairly steady.

FRUITS—Some Eastern apples in at the close of the week selling for $3.25 per barrel [illegible] Receipts of local were almost nothing, sales being at 80c@$1 50. Oranges have ruled firm at $[illegible] and $5 50 for the three sorts. Lemons quiet at $3 50@[illegible]. Bananas $3 50@4. San Francisco is handling new raspberries, cherries and strawberries.

VEGETABLES—Market largely supplied by California. Last in sold at Cabbage [illegible] lb, [illegible] carrots 1½c, beets 2½c, turnips 1¾c per lb, celery [illegible], cauliflower $1 50, lettuce [illegible], artichokes [illegible] doz, asparagus $2 25 per box.

BUTTER—Arrivals of local very free. Call for [illegible] dealing at 20c. Local choice sells [illegible] for [illegible] 18@22.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Government bonds were dull and steady. Stocks were more active, but prices were again weak most of the day. There was no important news this morning, but fears of further trouble with labor organizations, and repeated statements that a general strike is likely to take place about the first of May, have probably led to some selling during the past two days. The lowest prices were generally made about noon. [illegible] there was a rally for fractional amounts, followed by renewed weakness in the last hour, but the market closed firm and generally ⅛ to [illegible] higher than the lowest prices reached. The only unfavorable report of the afternoon of importance related to an alleged cut by granger roads between Chicago and Omaha.

The *Mail and Express* says: Mining shares were dull. Sutro tunnel sold at 10, Bulwer [illegible], Standard 80, California & Virginia $1 50, Bodie $1 [illegible].

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Money on call, easy at 2@3. Prime paper 4@5. Sterling exchange, dull and firm at $4 87 for sixty days, $4 89¼ for demand.

BONDS.

3s	101	[illegible]	123¼
4½s	112¾	Pacific 6s	12[illegible]

STOCKS.

American	105	Northwestern	10[illegible]
Can Pacific	[illegible]	N Y Central	[illegible]
Can Southern	[illegible]	Or Navigation	[illegible]
Central Pacific	[illegible]	Transcontinental	[illegible]
Burlington	[illegible]	Improvement	[illegible]
Lackawanna	[illegible]	Pacific Mail	[illegible]
D & R G	17½	Panama	[illegible]
Erie	2[illegible]	Rock Island	[illegible]
Kansas & Texas	[illegible]	St Paul	8[illegible]
Lake Shore	[illegible]	Texas Pacific	[illegible]
Louisville & Nashville	[illegible]	Union Pacific	[illegible]
Michigan Central	[illegible]	U S Express	[illegible]
Northern Pacific	[illegible]	Fargo	[illegible]
N P Preferred	56[illegible]	Western Union	[illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS PRICES.

SAN FRANCISCO, April [illegible]

Hale & Norcross	2 05	Savage	[illegible]
Sierra Nevada	[illegible]	Chollar	[illegible]
Best & Belcher	[illegible]	Potosi	[illegible]
Gould & Curry	80	Navajo	10
Mexican	[illegible]	Alta	[illegible]
Con Cal & Va	1 85	Overman	[illegible]
Bodie	1 20	Union	[illegible]
Peerless	[illegible]	Ophir	[illegible]
N O	[illegible]		

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April [illegible]—Weather cloudy, wind south.

Receipts: Wheat, [illegible] ctls; flour, [illegible] sks; potatoes, 1 [illegible] sks.

Freights—Grain tonnage steadily held. Charter [illegible] for lumber from [illegible] to Valparaiso [illegible]

[illegible] small business doing [illegible]

[illegible] moderate demand. Oregon ranges [illegible] to $1 2[illegible] as extremes.

[illegible] steady at the decline. [illegible] Fairbanks [illegible]

Wool [illegible] Eastern Oregon [illegible] choice and extra [illegible]

Hops—Weak at [illegible]

Eggs—Neglected.

Oats—Slightly better in all [illegible] choice [illegible]

Wheat—The feeling is weaker. [illegible] refuse to [illegible] from the market. [illegible] No. 1 shipping [illegible] $1 [illegible] buyer [illegible] lower [illegible] seller year [illegible]

Wheat closed on call $1 [illegible] buyer season $1 [illegible] seller year.

[illegible] No. 1 feed [illegible] seller [illegible]

MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, April 29.—[illegible] Bank of England [illegible] Consols [illegible] Silver bullion [illegible]

NEW YORK, April 29.—Silver bullion, [illegible] Sterling exchange, prime bankers, [illegible] Good commercial [illegible] money [illegible] U S bonds [illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO, April [illegible]—Sterling exchange [illegible] bankers' bills $4 8[illegible], documentary [illegible] transfers [illegible]

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, April [illegible]—Cattle: Receipts [illegible] [illegible] shipping steers [illegible] stockers and feeders $[illegible]@[illegible] [illegible] cattle [illegible]

Hogs: Receipts [illegible] rough and mixed $[illegible], packing and shipping [illegible] light [illegible]

Sheep: Receipts 1500 [illegible]

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April [illegible]—Wheat [illegible] May [illegible] June [illegible]

[illegible] May [illegible] May [illegible]

[illegible] Short ribs [illegible]

Wheat [illegible] April [illegible] May [illegible]

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April [illegible]—Wheat [illegible] firmer [illegible] May [illegible] June [illegible] July [illegible] August [illegible]

Wheat [illegible] May [illegible] June [illegible] July [illegible] August [illegible]

PETROLEUM.

NEW YORK, April [illegible]—Petroleum [illegible] United closed at [illegible]

Foreign Markets.

BEERBOHM GRAIN REPORT.

LONDON, April 29.—Floating cargoes firm; cargoes on passage and for shipment firmly held. [illegible] coast for orders, nil.

LIVERPOOL, April 29.—Wheat, fair inquiry; [illegible] cargoes on passage. To the continent, wheat [illegible] qrs, to U K, wheat and flour 20[illegible] 000 qrs.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, April 29.—Wheat was in less demand; new No. 2 winter and spring no stock. Corn in fair demand, spot 4s 3½, firm; April 4s [illegible] firm; May and June steady at 4s 2[illegible].

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

IN PORT—FINISHED WITH GRAIN.

Br bk Cambria, 12[illegible], Cæsar & Co
Br bk Mallsgate, 1042, Sibson, C & Co

IN PORT—LOADING AND TO LOAD.

Br bk Glenfarg, 891, Sibson, Quackenbush & Co
Am sh Indiana, 1486, Balfour, Guthrie & Co
Br bk Director, 6[illegible], Balfour, G & Co
Br bk Shalimar, [illegible]85, Sibson, C & Co
Br bk Frances [illegible], 1440, Sibson, C & Co
Br sh Dryad, 1035, Sibson, C & Co
Br sh Stirlingshire, 12[illegible], Cæsar & Co
Br sh [illegible], Sibson, C & Co
Br sh Rydalmere, 1140, Sibson, C & Co

IN PORT—DISENGAGED.

Bk C S Holbert, 10[illegible], wood, Sutton & Peel
Br sh Helensiea, 1[illegible], iron, Meyer, W & Co
Ger bk Undine, [illegible]38, wood, Meyer, W & Co

VESSELS ON THE WAY, APRIL [illegible]

April 5—Br bk [illegible] San Pedro
Feb 5—Br bk ‡Chimborazo, 835, Port Adelaide
Nov 20—Br bk ‡Germania, [illegible], Liverpool
Br sh Oakworth, [illegible], Sydney
Mch 1—Br bk [illegible], Sydney
Mch [illegible]—Br bk [illegible], Melbourne
Feb 1—Br sh [illegible], Melbourne via Victoria
Br bk [illegible], Brisbane
Br bk River Clyde, [illegible], Freemantle
Mch Br bk Alliance, [illegible]7, Melbourne
April [illegible]—Am sh R R Cheney, 1322, Yokohama
Mch [illegible]—Br bk [illegible], Bluff Harbor
Mch Br bk Barunga, 1030, Adelaide
Jan [illegible]—Am sh ‡Tillie E Starbuck, New York
Feb [illegible]—Br bk Kingdom of Saxony, 538, Maryboro
Feb 4—Br bk Archer, [illegible], Liverpool via Victoria
Feb 1[illegible]—Am bk Wm H Besse, 1027, New York
[illegible] 6—Br bk [illegible], 812, Liverpool via Hon
Mch 2[illegible]—Br bk Noddleburn, 1051, Liverpool
April 1[illegible]—Br sh Mungdale, 1281, Sydney
April 1[illegible]—Br sh Antiope, 1443, Melbourne
Am bk Colonia, 854, Hong Kong
Mch [illegible]—Am bk Edward Kidder, [illegible], Hong Kong
Mch [illegible]—Br sh Amana, 1[illegible], London via Hon
April [illegible]—Br sh ‡Abercarne, 1098, Greenock
April Br bk ‡Wanlock, 745, Brisbane
Br bk ‡Parthia, 1022, London
Br bk ‡Craigisle, 1050, Sunderland
Br sh ‡Seaforth, 1189, Sydney
Br sh ‡British Commodore, 1[illegible]0, Melbourne
Br sh [illegible]atterdale, 1200, Liverpool
Iron

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2[illegible]—Arrived—Str Yaquina, Yaquina bay; schr C H Merchant, Coos Bay; bk Mary Glover, Port Discovery. Sailed—Br ship Moresby, Cork; ship St Paul, Liverpool; brig Courtney Ford, Puget sound; schr Pender, coast [illegible]

CAPE HANCOCK, April 29, [illegible] P. M.—Bar smooth; weather cloudy; wind west, velocity [illegible] miles. Vessel outside.

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15	Rheumatism, [illegible]	.50
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17	Piles, Blind or Bleeding	.50
19	Catarrh, Influenza, Cold in the Head	.50
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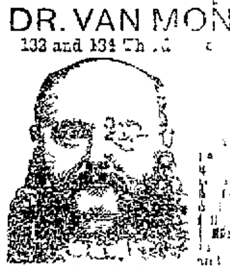
[illegible] Democratic [illegible] Multnomah county [illegible] the 4th day of May [illegible] First Portland [illegible] April [illegible] 1886 [illegible] sixty-four delegates [illegible] [illegible] election of [illegible] as follows:

[illegible]

[illegible] primary to be held at the [illegible] places [illegible] hereafter designated [illegible] committee [illegible] the committee recommend that all delegates selected [illegible]

J. L. SPERRY,
J. T. SMITH,
H. DANZIGER,
J. M. L. HARVEY,
H. B. NICHOLAS,
County Central Committee.

DR. VAN MONCISCAR,
132 and 134 Third [illegible]



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Columbia	Sunday	May 9	Oregon [illegible]
Oregon	Friday	May 14	State [illegible]
State	Wednesday	May 19	Columbia [illegible]
Columbia	Monday	May 24	Oregon [illegible]
Oregon	Saturday	May 29	State [illegible]
State	Thursday	June 4	Columbia [illegible]

And every fifth day thereafter [illegible]

The Company reserves the right to [illegible] or sailing days.

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Portland	7.30 A. M.	Ashland	[illegible]
Ashland	7.45 P. M.	Portland	[illegible]

Albany Express Train.

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	4.00 P. M.	Lebanon	[illegible]
Lebanon	4.45 A. M.	Portland	[illegible]

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The O. & C. R. R. Ferry makes connection with all regular trains on the East Side Div. from foot of [illegible]

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BETWEEN PORTLAND AND CORVALLIS. Mail Train.

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	9.00 A. M.	Corvallis	[illegible]
Corvallis	8.30 A. M.	Portland	[illegible]

Express Train.

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	5.00 P. M.	McMinnville	[illegible]
McMinnville	5.45 A. M.	Portland	[illegible]

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Leave Corvallis Tuesday, Thursday, [illegible]
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Sunday	April 25	Monday [illegible]
Sunday	May 9	Saturday [illegible]
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COMMERCIAL.

Weekly Market Report.

THURSDAY, Dec. 31.

Overland receipts include 2 tank-cars coal oil, 225 cs coffee, 5 csks prunes, 3 cigars, 5 bls tobacco.

Eastern exchanges adjourned to Saturday.

PRODUCE RECEIPTS—Past 24 hours: 3058 ctls wheat, 204 bbls flour, 1084 ctls oats, 270 ctls barley, 402 ctls millstuff, 245 lbs hides, 78 bxs fruit, 14 cs eggs, 2 cs butter. Also 13,493 ctls wheat from the eastern section.

Receipts for seven days ending Wednesday noon aggregated 130,400 ctls wheat, 7239 bbls flour, 6371 ctls oats, 2051 ctls barley, 300 ctls bran, 1630 ctls millstuff, 785 sks potatoes, 12,770 lbs wool, 61,129 lbs hides, 196 pkgs butter, 308 cs eggs, 2032 bxs fruit, 1495 sks flaxseed, 39,216 lbs hops. Valley receipts included 34,460 ctls wheat, 2732 bbls flour, 6196 ctls oats, 205 ctls barley, 160 ctls bran, 960 ctls millstuff. For the same week last year receipts were 44,227 ctls wheat, 3723 bbls flour, 1280 ctls oats, 255 ctls barley, 812 ctls bran, 476 ctls millstuff, 7 sks potatoes, 6660 lbs wool, 3708 lbs hides, 325,531 lbs hops, all valley.

Receipts of leading articles by principal transportation routes for December from both sections, as compared with the same month last year, were:

Articles.	1885 Valley	1885 Eastern	1885 Total	1884 Total
Wheat, ctls	185,054	551,447	736,501	447,813
Flour, bbls	26,487	22,227	48,714	40,383
Oats, ctls	34,888	630	35,508	35,010
Barley, ctls	2,354	14,407	16,761	3,639
Bran, ctls	1,650	200	1,850	11,092
Millstuff, ctls	12,172	1,650	13,822	4,513
Potatoes, sks	6,776	....	6,776	5,580
Wool, lbs	55,544	3,975	59,519	161,920
Hides, lbs	85,988	78,873	164,861	76,860
Butter, pkgs	481	12	493	390
Eggs, cs	1,266	7	1,272	921
Fruit, pkgs	12,735	....	12,735	5,318
Lime, bbls	210	....	210	210
Flaxseed, sks	....	17,379	17,379	5,613
Hops, lbs	302,900	....	302,900	721,478

Receipts by principal transportation lines since August 1, as compared with a like time last cereal year have been:

ARTICLES.	1885-1886. Valley	1885-1886. Eastern	1884-1885. Valley	1884-1885. Eastern
Wheat, ctls	771,879	3,445,324	953,945	1,446,601
Flour, bbls	77,284	77,760	91,008	61,103
Oats, ctls	217,477	9,362	81,355	29,373
Barley, ctls	30,323	74,873	1,873	8,563
Bran, ctls	8,442	4,541	32,062	14,818
Millstuff, ctls	34,213	5,726	18,990	5,804
Potatoes, sks	17,234	325	28,935	498
Wool, lbs	937,943	590,788	967,896	891,831
Hides, lbs	348,467	330,408	216,456	227,330
Lime, bbls	12,519	....	12,563	....
Flaxseed, sks	....	67,561	12	15,897
Hops, lbs	3,210,584	....	3,313,090	179,978

EXPORTS—To San Francisco per str Oregon: 4640 ctls wheat, 2244 qr 7080 hf sks flour, 67 ctls barley, 10,584 ctls oats, 265 sks flaxseed, 391 sks potatoes, 10 sks peas, 20 sks onions, 259 bxs fruit, 183 pkgs barrel stock, 242 bdls hazel hoops, 100 bbls fish oil, 60 tons pig iron, 8 rls leather, 90 boat knees, 7 bls deerskins, 2 bls pelts, 5 bls calfskins, 18 dry 48 gr hides, 40 bls straw paper, 56 tins 25 cs 9 bxs 87 cans 4 bbls tallow, 40 eggs, 14 sks glue stock, 58 kits 2 pkgs butter, $27,382 treasure.

FREIGHTS—During the week the County of Flint came in under prior charter, County of Merioneth with lapsed charter, Glengaber and W. H. Starbuck seeking. The Clan McLeod sailed with wheat and a number of others filled up and cleared. The W. H. Starbuck, wood, accepted business last Thursday, private. The Prince Frederick is placed on the engaged list. In the prevailing dullness of the export trade there has been no inclination to shoulder new business, especially as the spot fleet have demanded 2s 6d above the views of shippers. This is particularly true of iron, for which 42s 6d is the obtainable quotation for orders against the general demand of 45s. Soft wood may be quoted anywhere from 43s to 45s, and there is but one of this class at hand. The spot fleet has received considerable attention, a number being ready to clear with next month. The same disposition to take advantage of lay days is noted, foreign markets being unsatisfactory to sell in. Our en route list falls off somewhat, as but few additions have lately been made to it. At San Francisco the week has been rather dull as concerns freights, the last iron accepting 30s for orders.

REGISTERED TONNAGE STATEMENT.

In port—	Finished with grain	6,319	
	Loading or to load	25,459	
	Iron disengaged	4,567	
	Wood disengaged	1,539	—37,886
On way—	Due Dec. Jan.	12,748	
	Due later on	16,335	—29,083

WHEAT—Arrivals for the week were 1723 tons valley and 5247 tons Walla Walla; a total of 6970 tons. The daily average was 246 tons valley and 749 tons Walla Walla. As compared with the previous week the falling off was 2191 tons, both sections sending less. Walla Walla has come forward in fair quantities for San Francisco, but three firms do all there is done in this way. These shipments are either for old business or with a view of storing, for San Francisco is a no more satisfactory selling market than is our own. Last quotations of $1 27½ there alongside would indicate that with $1 15 obtainable here sellers could do better at home. Business for the week under review has been almost nothing. In valley the mills are buying next to nothing. Some of them have shut down and some have sold wheat in this market. The ruling figure was $1 25 all week, which is quoted at the close. More is considered impossible for some buyers, offer even less. The bulk of arrivals have been from the west side, river boats bringing very little. Walla Walla holders are not selling at $1 15, which is the ruling quotation and probably the best price obtainable. Shippers would have taken at this had it been acceptable to holders. More is not justified by the present situation, and being in no serious need, shippers have continued indifferent. San Francisco is rather weaker as against last week, both in spot and options, although spot asking prices are the same. Buyer season and buyer 1886 are about 1 cent lower. Chicago and New York are generally less than 1 cent better, and near options are now close together. The American visible supply was slightly reduced last week and may be expected to lessen from week to week from this on. This reduction was looked for and is no surprise, hence is without effect upon values. The foreign market closes somewhat steadier, liberal offerings being the principal factor in discouraging traders and they are slow cargo buyers. An account of English stocks may be expected early next week. Trade will then recover from its holiday idleness and should present something definite, one way or the other.

The following is a comparative statement of imports into the United Kingdom for the week ending December 31, and the quantity of grain afloat at this time and one year ago:

Imports into U. K.:

Dec. 30, 1885	185,000 to 190,000 qrs. wheat 170,000 to 175,000 bbls. flour
Dec. 31, 1884	85,000 to 90,000 qrs. wheat 125,000 to 130,000 bbls. flour
Dec. 23, 1885	295,000 to 300,000 qrs. wheat 140,000 to 145,000 bbls. flour
Dec. 24, 1884	180,000 to 185,000 qrs. wheat 155,000 to 160,000 bbls. flour

Quantities afloat:

Time.	Quarters.	For
Dec. 31, 1884	2,025,000	U. K.
	400,000	Cont.
Dec. 23, 1885	1,775,000	U. K.
	100,000	Cont.
Dec. 24, 1884	1,050,000	U. K.
	370,000	Cont.

The movement in wheat and flour for the five months of the current crop year has been as follows, figures being expressed in short tons:

RECEIPTS.

	Wheat.	Flour.	Flour reduced.	Total as wheat.
Valley	38,594	7,728	10,431	49,027
Eastern	172,266	7,776	10,498	182,764
	210,860	15,504	20,931	231,791

SHIPMENTS.

	Wheat.	Flour.	Flour reduced.	Total as wheat.
To U. K.	79,145	9,185	12,450	91,595
Coastwise	46,268	5,526	7,463	53,731
Rail north	8,342	3,886	5,426	13,768
	133,755	18,597	25,341	159,096

Excess wheat receipts over exports	77,105
Excess flour exports over receipts, reduced	4,410
Excess all receipts over exports, reduced	72,695

The London correspondent of the Minneapolis *Miller* writes as follows under date of December 8: There is, I must say, a persistent steadiness about prices which augurs well for the future, or rather which seems to point to the fact that if an upward movement is difficult, any decline is impossible. During the last month, in fact, values have hardly changed, and are almost identical to-day with those current on November 8, and a quieter month, as far as speculation is concerned, can hardly be imagined. As I have before observed, it will take some time before stocks in this country and the visible supply on your side can be reduced to a point sufficiently moderate to allow of speculators basing their operations upon actual supply and demand. In this country, however, we have for the last month been drawing upon our stocks to supplement our supplies, so that compared with this day month, our granaried stocks are probably 1,250,000 bushels less. This may be expected now to be going on to a greater or less extent for some time, for Russian supplies are now cut off by ice. We shall, I think, have become well acquainted with 1886 before we see any marked rise in prices, which when it does come should be lasting, for there has been no speculative force employed in driving values up. To say the truth, money seems to be too scarce and confidence too shaky for any active speculation.

FLOUR—Arrivals for the week were 6596 bbls valley and 3557 bbls Walla Walla; a decrease from the preceding week of 861 bbls. Trade continues dull and the local call is but fair. Arrivals of Walla Walla were mostly for San Francisco. Our market presents nothing of new interest. Values may be called weak for purchasers of round lots receive added discounts. We quote standards $4 25, less usual trade discount; others $3 50@3 75.

BARLEY—Very little moving and that largely for through shipment. Quote $1 05 per cental for best feed.

MILLSTUFFS—Receipts not heavy, but the week came in with free stocks and these are not greatly reduced. First hands have shaded values, and inside jobbing prices are reduced. Quote jobbing values: Bran, $12@14; chop, $16@20; shorts, $14@16; middlings, $19@20. Oil meal, $32 50 per ton.

OATS—Market constantly weakened and at the close sales are slower even at concessions. To-day 36c is about the best offer, although that and slightly better may be quoted. Few buyers are in the market for shipment and this throws more upon the local market. Weaker advices also lend an influence in depressing values. Quote good to extra choice feed, 36@37c; common to poor, 33@35c.

POTATOES—Very little being done and receipts by transportation lines are small. There is no particular call for shipment and local needs are easily supplied. Quote 20@30c per bushel. Sweets, [illegible].

ONIONS—Fair trade doing, paying prices being 1@1½c as to quality.

FRUITS, ETC.—Of local sorts apples only are in any movement. These are in some request for shipment, if choice, and for such needs 60@70c is to be had. Lemons quoted $6 50 for Sicily and $9 50 for California. Oranges in lighter receipt, selling at $2@$3 50 for Mexican and $4 50 for naval. Trade in imported fruits is less after the holidays. Figs quoted 7c for California and 18c for Smyrna; dates, 12c.

BUTTER—Choice roll in light stock and ready sale at 30@32½c; common to fair sale at 20@25c. Supplies are from local sources, and about enough for needs.

POULTRY—Stocks generally large, sales slow and values weak. Quote chickens, $2@3; ducks, $4@6; geese, $6@7; turkeys, 10c.

EGGS—Heavy receipts late last week could not be moved and as a result values gave way. Round lots have sold down to 20c, but to-day 22½c is quoted. Some going to San Francisco. No eastern coming.

HIDES, ETC.—Receipts light of beef hides. The market rules steady at 16@17c for dry and 5½@6c for salted. Deer and sheepskins coming forward quite freely and are shipped out. Some dry beef hides are going east. Tallow dull at 3½@4½c.

HAY—Open weather continues a quiet market, supplies being full; quote $8@9 for best, and $6@7 for poor to fair.

PROVISIONS—Stocks quite liberal and receipts are less. The market for local cured is steady and the call is not complained of. Eastern in light trading and values are reduced. Lard in free stock, local selling down. We quote jobbing prices for ordinary parcels: City cured hams, 10@11c; bacon 7@7½c, shoulders 6@7c, country cured generally ½@1c less; eastern hams, choice, 11@11½c; breakfast bacon, 8@10c. Best eastern tinned lard 9½c, common local in large packages 7c.

DRIED FRUIT—Stocks of the common varieties are large, and still include more old than is calculated to help values. The request is good, however, and prices held up. Quote jobbing values for ordinary parcels: Sun-dried apples, 3½@5c; factory do, 4@8c; pears, 6@8c; prunes, 8@10c; sun-dried plums, 4@5c; factory do, 6@8c; new peaches, 7c; best new raisins, $2 75.

HOPS—Light movement, no Puget Sound moving this week. Receipts noted are from the valley and go to London. Nominally, 6@8c may be quoted, but no sales are reported. New York advices tell of light demands, mainly for choice in small parcels.

WOOL—The clip being practically moved, our market is inactive, receipts being next to nothing, and prices nominally 15@18c for the better grades. Over 12,000,000 pounds have been moved since the first of April, and this represents a largely increased clip over 1884.

The Merchandise Market.

Trade is reported to be dull for the week. This is not to be wondered at for the holiday week is always a dull one and we have steadily noted activity in the preceding weeks. At this time there is no special call for goods and imports are necessarily light. However the inward freight movement exceeds previously expressed anticipations and there is no cause for complaint. Outward the steamers have full freights but rail routes are doing little. Elsewhere will be found interesting statistics regarding the year's export business and lack of time prevents extended remarks here. The inward movement far exceeds that of last year, but figures are not obtainable as regards its values. That there has been an increase cannot be questioned. For the year the trade balance is more in our favor than it has been for a long time, and 1885 closes with general expressions of satisfaction by all. The salmon movement is now light, amounting to almost nothing.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

BEANS—Best varieties quoted 2@2½c. At San Francisco whites, peas and pinks are lower.

BREAD, ETC.—Quote ship 3½c; pilot, 4@4½c; soda crackers, 5@6c; other crackers, biscuits and cakes, 6@14c.

COAL OIL—Market only steady at 26@28c for common brands.

COFFEE—Market steady at: Rio, 12½c; Costa Rica, 11@12½c; Java, 16@20c; Salvador and Guatemala, 9@10½c.

PICKLES—Kegs quoted at $1@1 10 for 3s and 5s.

RICE—Local values fairly steady at $5 50 for island and $4 65@4 75 for China. San Francisco reports weakness and liberal stocks.

SALT—Prices held up firmly. Quote Liverpool $16, $18 and $20, as to size of bags and half ground coast $6 50@8 50. No large sacks of Liverpool in stock.

SUGARS—We quote barrels: Extra C, 6¾c; Golden C, 6½c; dry granulated, 7⅝c; crushed, fine crushed, cube and powdered, 8c; half barrels and boxes, ¼@⅜c advance.

BAGS—Quote grain sacks, 5½c; wool, 35c; sewing twine, 30@35c.

THE MEAT MARKET.

Quotations are prices paid to dealers by slaughterers for whole carcasses or on foot.

BEEF—Steady supplies received, and the market is quiet at 3½c gross for best conditioned.

VEAL—Steady at 8@9c.

MUTTON—No scarcity of supplies, the market being steady at 2½@3½c.

HOGS—The undertone is weak. Quote best live 5@5½c; dressed 4@4½c.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Weather hazy, wind south west.

Receipts—Wheat 50,000 ctls, flour 18,000 ¼ sks, barley 260 ctls, oats none, potatoes 1600 sks.

Freights—Very little inquiry for tonnage.

Oats—Easier; large stocks and more sellers than buyers; quote Oregon $1 15@1 22½.

Potatoes—Prices not materially changed. Garnet Chile, nominal, 45@55c; Burbanks, 60@75c.

Butter—Easier. Fresh roll, extra choice, 31@35c.

Eggs—Lower. Fresh California, 30@35c.

Wheat—Spot market dull; little business doing. No. 1 shipping nominal at $1 35@1 37½. Futures quiet; buyer season, $1 43@1 42¾c, buyer 1886, $1 46@1 45¾.

Barley—Quiet; offerings light. No. 1 feed, at 27½@1 30. No business doing in futures.

CHICAGO, Dec. 31—12:30 P. M.—Wheat, 85½c January. Pork, $10 January; lard, $6 05 January; short ribs, $5 20 cash.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31—2 P. M.—Wheat, [illegible]c January; 93⅝c February; 95⅝c March; 98⅝c May.

MONEY MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Sterling exchange on London banks, 60 days, $4 85@4 85½; documentary, $4 84@4 84½. Transfers, 15. Bank of England rate of interest, 4 per cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Sterling exchange, prime banks, long, $4 86; short, $4 89½. Good commercial, from 1 to ¼c lower; documentary, 2 to 1¼c lower. U. S. bonds, 3s, 103⅜; 4½s, 112⅝; 4s, 124.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Silver bullion, English standard, 925 fine, per fine ounce, 46 15-16.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Wheat opened: 91¾c January, 93½c February, 94⅝c March, 98⅛c May; at noon, 92⅝c January, 93⅝c February, 95c March, 98⅜c May.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Wheat opened: 85c January, 85½c February, 91⅝c May; at noon, 85c December, 85⅝c January, 85⅝c February, 91⅝c May.

Foreign Markets.

BEERBOHM GRAIN REPORT.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Floating cargoes, quiet but steady. Cargoes on passage and for shipment, quiet but steady.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 31.—Spot wheat, quiet but steady; poor demand. Quantities on passage: To the continent, wheat 150,000 qrs; to the U. K. for ports of call and direct ports, wheat and flour, 1,775,000 qrs.

CUSTOM HOUSE BUSINESS.

WILLAMETTE DISTRICT.

Memoranda of Importations.

FROM ENGLAND.

	Quantity.	Value.
Salt, lbs	6,650,189	$ 22,303
Tin and Terne plate, lbs	787,995	25,151
Soda, caustic, lbs	165,075	2,811
Soda, crystals, lbs	223,343	1,751
Soda, bi-carb	39,757	604
Soda, ash	72,490	853
Soda, sal	109,319	861
Soda, silicate	21,387	315
Earthen and china ware		9,132
Malt liquors, galls	5,467	5,095
Bags and bagging		3,085
Personal effects		4,110
Alum cake, lbs	82,306	549
Coal, tons	1,508	3,216
Glauber salts	11,203	65
Wines		1,358
Liquors		2,856
Apollinaris water		623
Hessians		1,066
Chloride of lime		1,598
Clay pipes		316
Sheep shears		468
Ginger ale		821
Pig iron, tons	226	2,858
Oils, salad		119
Anvils		301
Paints and oils		631
Canary seed		261
Silex		130
Wool cloth		945
Granite, dressed		202
Insect powder		1,367
Sauces		178
Glassware		103
Gun wads		437
Oilcloths		232
All other articles		4,041
Total		$101,637

FROM HONGKONG.

	Quantity.	Value.
Rice, lbs	3,209,389	64,473
Cotton, mfs		3,336
Fish, all kinds		1,751
Fruits		574
Paper, mfs		1,234
Vegetables		1,296
Pickles and sauce		950
Eggs, salt		115
Dried fruits		45
Ginger root		83
Silk, mfs		2,122
Tobacco, lbs	8,400	1106
Wool clothing		402
Firecrackers		625
Personal effects		1,239
Earthen and Chinaware		568
Wood, mfs		651
Roots and herbs		1,125
Nut oil, galls	19,169	7,483
Sugar, lbs	6,763	429
Liquors		793
Farinaceous substances		1,578
Dryes		54
Parcels		62
Wax		88
Tea, lbs	8,911	2,169
Granite		269
Vermilion		91
Malting		808
Cordage		1,705
All other articles		1,875
Total		$90,077

FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA.

	Quantity.	Value.
Coal, ton	6,281	$32,854
Fish oils, gall	30,000	2,010
Hides		3,511
Salt, sks	115,850	684
Copper		21
Liquors		148
Wool		71
Per. effects		35
All other articles		87
Total		33,262

FROM SCOTLAND.

	Quantity.	Value.
Coals, ton	1,676	11,221
Wool, mfs		367
Cotton, mfs		573
Silk, mfs		134
Flannels		31
Toilet articles		40
All other articles		89
Total		15,461

FROM GERMANY.

	Value.
Musical wares	901
Zephyr worsteds	722
Glassware	317
Chinaware	301
All other articles	45
Total	2,462

FROM CUBA.

	Quantity.	Value.
Cigars, lbs	2,920	9,503

FROM AUSTRALASIA.

	Quantity.	Value.
Coal, tons	15,502	45,145

FROM SOUTH AMERICA.

	Quantity.	Value.
Coal, tons	361	1,237

FROM HONOLULU.

	Quantity.	Value.
Rice, lbs	50,000	2,510

FROM BELGIUM.

	Value.
Musical wares	205

Recapitulation.

Country.	Value.
England	$101,637
Hong Kong	90,077
British Columbia	33,262
Scotland	15,461
Germany	2,462
Cuba	9,503
Australasia	45,145
South America	1,237
Honolulu	2,510
Belgium	205
1885	$304,519
1884	477,778

Domestic Exports to Foreign Countries.

Wheat	$3,649,407	Con. milk	74
Flour	888,129	Canned Oysters	60
Lumber	20,482	Wine	30
Salmon	11,850	Meal	65
Hous'hold eff'ts	5,050	Oats	53
Bran & shorts	2,900	Sardines	14
Hams	1,014	Paper bags	44
Scrap iron	1,000	Crockery	16
Bacon	940	Tacks	33
Chickens	320	Seeds	86
Crackers	314	Cider	14
Dried fruit	150	Brick	36
Green fruit	653	Tinware	28
Cottons	140	Cheese	77
Sago	115	Wood, misc'l	22
Brooms	157	Rope	49
Glassware	420	Bags	70
Eggs	321	Candies	52
Lamps	256	Fruit trees	81
Iron, mfs	291	Photo goods	10
Paints and oils	143	White lead	31
Coal oil	228	Strap	12
Canned meats	167	Soap	26
Lard	354	Blacking	5
Vegetables	105	Twine	8
Musical instr's	100	Vinegar	7
Hollow ware	384	Lye	4
Basket ware	162	Axle grease	8
Candles	49	Total	$[illegible],134
Flavoring ext's	45		

COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.

U. K. for orders	$3,[illegible]
England	1,[illegible]
Denmark	83,494
Panama	18,[illegible]
British Columbia	3,274
Hong Kong	2,[illegible]
1885	$4,[illegible]7,134
1884	[illegible],795,854

OREGON DISTRICT.

Memorandum of Importations.

Article.	Value.	Whence from
1,758,291 lbs tin plate	$125,601	Liverpool
87,110 lbs salt	1,265	Liverpool
87 tons coal	592	Honolulu
600 yards canvas	1,667	Honolulu
600 tons coal	2,131	Sydney, N.S.W
60 tons coal	834	Newcastle
box dye	12	Nanaimo, B C
1 knife press	1	Nanaimo, B C

FROM HONG KONG VIA SAN FRANCISCO.

Pulp ware	1	Rice, bags	259
Tea, pot	1	Lily flour	37
Japanese cabinets	11	Beans	29
Silk handkerchiefs	2	Peas	5
[illegible]	1	Arrow Root flour	21
[illegible]	324	Seed ducks	3
Sprouts	45	Mushrooms	52
Eggs in salt	63	Cuttlefish	37
Olives	8	Dried oysters	9
Cotton socks	5	Sugar	28
Joss sticks	5	Yarns	3
Dried orange peel	5	Ginger root	4
Preserved ginger	29	Dried fruit	5
Preserved [illegible]	1	Gold paper	51
Salt beans	5	Tobacco	31
Water nuts	3	Rattan chairs	27
Preserved goods	94		
Rice mats	75	Total	$ 1,289

RECAPITULATION.

Country.	Value.
England	$126,866
Honolulu	2,623
Sydney, N. S. W.	2,131
Newcastle	833
Nanaimo, B. C.	13
Hong Kong	1,289
1885	137,734
1884	191,171

COLUMBIA RIVER GRAIN FLEET, 1885.

JANUARY.

Clear'd	Vessel.	Master.	Tons Reg'r	Flag.	For.	Sailed	Wheat. Centals.	Wheat. Value.	Flour. Barrels.	Flour. Value.	Total Value.	Dispatched By.
1	Britannia	[illegible]	811	Ger bk	Falmouth	Jan. 10	26,906	$ 34,032			$ 34,600	Sibson, Church & Co.
5	[illegible] Ferguson	Wilson	709	Br bk	Falmouth	Jan. 11	27,409	32,890			32,890	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
6	Annie M. Law	[illegible]	1179	Br bk	Queenstown	Jan. 12	[illegible]	45,100			45,100	C. Caesar & Co.
9	Gwynedd	Roberts	1078	Br bk	Queenstown	Jan. 12	[illegible]	42,901			42,901	Sibson, Church & Co.
10	Martha Fisher	Buckingham	811	Br bk	Cardiff	Jan. 12	26,354	31,607			31,6[illegible]	C. Caesar & Co.
10	Ophelia	Lambert	1181	Br bk	Queenstown	Jan. 12	36,125	43,359			43,359	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
16	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Br bk	Bristol	Jan. 13	41,204	48,000			48,000	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
8	[illegible]	Hood	907	Br bk	Queenstown	Jan. 11	27,474	33,073			33,073	Sibson, Church & Co.
14	[illegible]	[illegible]	640	Br bk	Queenstown	Jan. 15	17,791	21,500			22,500	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
16	Lizzie Bell	[illegible]	1015	Br bk	Plymouth	Jan. 16	33,557	[illegible]			40,800	C. Caesar & Co.
16	[illegible]	Kelly	741	Br bk	Falmouth	Jan. 16	26,746	[illegible]			32,065	Sibson, Church & Co.
19	[illegible]	[illegible]	779	Br bk	Queenstown	Jan. 20	[illegible]	32,900			30,000	C. Caesar & Co.
20	[illegible]	[illegible]	1364	Br bk	Queenstown	Jan. 26	42,6[illegible]	49,800			49,800	C. Caesar & Co.
21	[illegible]	[illegible]	1271	Br bk	Plymouth	Jan. 26	39,167	50,000			50,000	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
21	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Am bk	Copenhagen	Jan. 26	33,935	40,000			40,000	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
27	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Falmouth	Jan. 28	38,350	51,000			51,000	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
12	[illegible]	[illegible]	730	Br bk	Queenstown	Jan. 26	24,070	30,000			30,000	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
23	[illegible]	[illegible]	610	Br bk	Queenstown	Jan. 24	21,000	26,321			26,321	Sibson, Church & Co.
29	[illegible]	[illegible]	680	Br bk	Queenstown	Feb. 3			12,010	48,[illegible]	48,000	Salem Flour Mills Co.
30	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Br bk	Liverpool	Feb. 3			12,8[illegible]	51,2[illegible]	51,228	Capital Flour Mills Co.
31	[illegible]	[illegible]	411	Br bk	Cork	Feb. 3			8,116	26,000	26,000	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
	Total		19562				567,889	$625,930	[illegible]	$125,276	$811,108	

FEBRUARY.

Clear'd	Vessel.	Master.	Tons Reg'r	Flag.	For.	Sailed	Wheat. Centals.	Wheat. Value.	Flour. Barrels.	Flour. Value.	Total Value.	Dispatched By.
6	Yarra Yarra	Earle	1242	Br bk	Queenstown	Feb. 12	40,062	$ 50,050			$ 50,050	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
6	Perthshire	Sember	893	Br bk	Liverpool	Feb. 10	[illegible]	10,158	2,268	9,052	19,210	A. W. Berry.
7	Flora	Klock	974	Ger bk	Queenstown	Feb. 9	31,768	38,917			38,917	C. Caesar & Co.
9	[illegible]	Peyton	1191	Br bk	Cardiff	Feb. 15	42,667	51,145			51,145	C. Caesar & Co.
9	Renfrewshire	Cummins	898	Br bk	Queenstown	Feb. 12	31,810	[illegible]			38,826	Sibson, Church & Co.
9	C. S. Holbert	[illegible]	1136	Am bk	Falmouth	Feb. 20	32,995	36,010			36,010	Sibson, Church & Co.
9	Sovereign	Pitman	1173	Br bk	Copenhagen	Feb. 28	39,658	46,415			[illegible]	J. Laidlaw & Co., Agts.
10	[illegible]	Perry	1217	Am bk	Queenstown	Feb. 20	38,744	50,500			50,501	Sibson, Church & Co.
11	Yosemite	Kay	768	Br bk	Liverpool	Feb. 12			[illegible]	52,060	52,060	P. F. M. Co.
12	[illegible]	Hodges	737	Br bk	Plymouth	Feb. 16	23,[illegible]	29,015			29,015	J. Laidlaw & Co., Agts.
12	Loveby	Steele	813	Br bk	Queenstown	Feb. 15	27,884	34,856			34,856	C. Caesar & Co.
12	Wm. D. Reed	[illegible]	748	Br bk	Falmouth	Feb. 15	21,115	27,600			27,600	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
14	Kincardineshire	Lane	1245	Br bk	Plymouth	Feb. 28	43,155	55,405			[illegible]	Sibson, Church & Co.
23	Kinclune	Chiness	718	Br bk	Queenstown	Feb. 24	21,632	30,000			30,000	Allen & Lewis.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	14,5[illegible]	54,558	[illegible]	S., C. & Co., & Capitol M.

MARCH.

APRIL.

MAY.

JUNE.

JULY.

AUGUST.

SEPTEMBER.

OCTOBER.

NOVEMBER.

DECEMBER.

Clear'd	Vessel.	Master.	Tons Reg'r	Flag.	For.	Sailed	Wheat. Centals.	Wheat. Value.	Flour. Barrels.	Flour. Value.	Total Value.	Dispatched By.
28	Clan McLeod	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Queenstown	Dec. 20	22,725	[illegible]			25,09[illegible]	Sibson, Quackenbush & Co.
31	Northerbay	Boulton	1221	[illegible]	Queenstown	[illegible]	42,3[illegible]	57,000			57,00[illegible]	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
	Total		1760[illegible]				462,896	$603,105	5,[illegible]	$184,316	$787,421	

TOTAL EXPORTS.

Condensed Statement of all Exports for the Calendar Year 1885.

ARTICLES.	DOMESTIC. Quantity.	DOMESTIC. Value.	FOREIGN. Quantity	FOREIGN. Value.	ALL SOURCES. Quantity.	ALL SOURCES. Value.
Wheat, ctls	1,401,692	1,684,121	3,144,790	3,970,534	4,546,482	5,614,6[illegible]
Flour, bbls	238,043	760,721	251,137	990,867	489,180	1,751,588
Salmon, cases	372,368	1,509,145	2,7[illegible]	928,381	590,403	2,437,526
Salmon, bbls	1,959	....	....	....	1,959	....
Salmon, pkgs	1,229	....	....	....	1,229	....
Wool, lbs	11,558,427	1,637,93[illegible]	....	....	11,558,427	1,637,936
Woolens	....	298,20[illegible]	....	....	....	298,20[illegible]
Oats, ctls	403,364	388,081	....	....	403,364	388,081
Potatoes, sks	249,378	116,110	....	....	249,378	116,110
Lumber, lath, etc., M	33,530	308,382	2,575	28,489	36,911	336,871
Flaxseed, sks	67,699	203,835	....	....	67,699	203,835
Hides, etc., lbs	2,009,524	144,801	....	....	2,009,524	144,801
Hops, lbs	5,561,381	451,462	....	....	5,561,381	451,462
Green fruit, pkgs	38,584	25,494	....	....	38,584	25,491
Dried fruit, pkgs	5,005	25,045	....	....	5,005	25,045
Pig iron, tons	1,965	36,475	....	....	1,965	36,475
Millstuff, sks	169,872	97,443	....	....	169,872	97,443
Barrel stock	....	21,805	....	....	....	21,805
Leather	686	20,247	....	....	686	20,247
Tallow, pkgs	3,505	27,849	....	....	3,505	27,849
Provisions, pkgs	6,476	78,002	....	....	6,478	78,002
Barley, ctls	134,004	138,537	....	....	134,004	138,537
Onions, sks	4,817	6,044	....	....	4,817	6,044
Butter, pkgs	1,169	25,514	....	....	1,169	25,514
Eggs, cases	5,900	41,071	....	....	5,900	41,071
Other articles and total	....	8,373,[illegible]	....	5,9[illegible]7,271	....	14,[illegible]0,676
Same, 1884	....	6,284,71[illegible]	....	5,648,116	....	11,932,831

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Vessels in Port and River.

FINISHED WITH GRAIN.

Br bk Director, 679, Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
Br sh Abercorn, 1262, Meyer, Wilson & Co.
Br bk Winnipeg, 1308, Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
Sh Olive S. Southard, 1195, Balfour, Guthrie & Co
Br sh Northerbay, 1221, Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
Br bk Singapore, 656, C. Caesar & Co.

LOADING OR TO LOAD GRAIN.

Br bk Elwy, 747, C. Caesar & Co.
Br bk Tythonus, 1152, C. Caesar & Co.
Br sh Otterspool, 1798, Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
Br bk Lorraine, 828, Taylor, Young & Co.
Br bk Scottish Admiral, 979, Sibson, Q. & Co.
Br sh Hornby Castle, 1426.
Br bk Braemar, 1056, Sibson, Q. & Co.
Br bk Alumnus, 775, Portland F. M. Co.
Br bk Chasca, 668, Portland F. M. Co.
Br sh Raglan Castle, 1069, Sibson, Q. & Co.
Br bk Katahdin, 1173, C. Caesar & Co.
Br bk Inglewood, 1513, Sibson, Q. & Co.
Br bk Glenfervie, 890, Allen & Lewis.
Nor sh Union, 901, Taylor, Young & Co.
Br bk Mary Low, 855, C. Caesar & Co.
Br bk Vesta, 595, Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
Br sh Frederick, 1176, C. Caesar & Co.
Br sh County of Flint, 1083, Sibson, Q. & Co.
Sh W. H. Starbuck, 1538, Sibson, Q. & Co.
Br sh City of Glasgow, 1163, Sibson, Q. & Co.
Br bk Victoria Bay, 1118, C. Caesar & Co.
Br bk City of Canton, 909, Sibson, Q. & Co.
Br bk Earl Rosebery, 1120, Sibson, Q. & Co.

DISENGAGED.

Br bk Anglo-Norman, 822, iron, Meyer, W. & Co.
Br sh Sardinian, 1543, wood, J. Laidlaw & Co.
Br bk Glendora, 1250, iron, Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
Br bk Comadre, 772, iron, J. Laidlaw & Co.
Br bk County of Merioneth, 1065, iron, Caesar & Co.
Br bk Glengaber, iron.

TONNAGE ON THE WAY, DEC. 17.

List of vessels on the way to this port, where from, sailing date if known, and registered tonnage. Those marked ‡ are iron or steel:

Dec. 26—Br bk ‡Firth of Stronsa, 1251, San Pedro.
Aug. 29—Br bk ‡Noss Head, 1072, Sydney.
Nov. 12—Br bk ‡Glenogle, 914, Taltal.
Nov. 30—Br bk ‡Cochrina, 891, Panama.
Oct. 19—Br sh ‡Hawarden Castle, 1101, Montevideo.
Oct. 24—Br sh ‡Loch Moidart, 2000, Sydney.
Nov. 10—Br sh ‡Amphitrite, 1708, Montevideo.
Br sh ‡Ralston, 816, Adelaide.
Sept. 1—Br bk ‡Firth of Dornoch, 907, Liverpool.
Sept. 5—Br bk ‡Kincardineshire, 1282, London.
Aug. 31—Br bk ‡Daventry, 821, Liverpool via Vic.
Nov. 12—Br C. S. Holbert, 1036, New York.
Oct. 25—Br bk ‡Selene, 996, Liverpool.
Oct. 27—Br sh ‡Lord Canning, 1165, Adelaide.
Sept. 9—Br bk ‡Alpheta, 830, Adelaide.
Nov. 20—Gr bk ‡Germania, 830, Liverpool.
Br bk ‡Harvest Home, 517, Victoria.
Br sh ‡North Riding, 1371, Callao.
Nov. 10—Br sh ‡Stirlingshire, 1221, Liverpool via Madeira and Honolulu.
Nov. 19—Br bk ‡Dumbartonshire, 915, Sydney.
Nov. 14—Br bk ‡Adelaide Mary, 572, Callao.
Dec. 4—Br sh ‡Golden Horn, 1842, Calcutta.
Sh ‡Titles K. Starbuck, 1931, New York.
Br bk ‡Archer, 765, Liverpool.
Nov. 30—Br bk Martha Fisher, 811, Panama.
Nov. 30—Br bk Lizzie Bell, 1039, Sydney.

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The farming population of every country is interested in securing the very best of agricultural implements the market contains and after long experiment with one wagon or plow or thresher after another, the farmer usually selects the article combining all the best features of each make, if such an article is obtainable. It is pretty generally understood now that the Mitchell wagon combines more of the good features of a first-class wagon than any in the market, and can be recommended as such to all who desire the best article in the market. It may be that this wagon is not known to everybody, but it is safe to assert that during the time that the energetic firm of Mitchell & Lewis have had their headquarters in Portland but few people within a radius of 200 miles have not found them out, and either bought something of them or thought of doing so. They are agents for the Pacific Northwest of the great manufactory of wagons, carriages, etc., located at Racine, Wisconsin, and known as the Mitchell Wagon company, and constantly keep on hand a full assortment of the various styles turned out by the factory. Although their reputation was largely made by the celebrated Mitchell wagon they have of late years made a specialty of manufacturing carriages and buggies of a superior quality. The firm in this city have built up an extensive trade with the country tributary to Portland during the past few years and have acquired a reputation for carrying in stock the best of everything, and for courteous treatment of customers that is very gratifying to all concerned. They will begin the new year with additional facilities for doing a larger business than ever before and can be recommended as a firm with whom it is a pleasure to deal. Their large warerooms on Front street are always open for the inspection of visitors, and farmers are invited to call at all times when in town.

Large Ships.

The largest ship in the world is the Great Eastern, which is 680 feet in length, 83 feet beam, and 58 feet depth, measuring 18,915 tons gross. The City of Rome is the next largest steamship afloat, with a length of 546 feet, breadth 52 feet, and a gross registered tonnage of 8415, and net tonnage of 5559, according to official figures. The largest American steamships are the City of Peking, Pacific Mail steamship company, 5000 tons, 423 feet long, 48 broad; the Liguria, Pacific Steam Navigation company, 4666 tons, 460 feet long, 46 feet broad; the Britannic, White Star, 4700 tons, 455 feet long, 45 feet broad; the City of Richmond, Inman, 4607 tons, 453½ feet long, 43 feet broad; and the Bothnia, Cunard, 4500 tons, 425 feet long, 42½ feet broad.

FIRES IN 1885.

Lightest Losses Experienced in Portland for Years—Net Loss to Property Owners $20.028.

During the year just closed there were twenty-four fires, of which only one was serious. This was Powers's furniture factory, which was destroyed August 30, the loss to the factory and adjacent buildings being a little under $30,000. Partial destruction of Bickel's one-story frame range on the corner of Second and Stark, January 26, entailed a loss of $9000. Besides these, there was only one fire where the loss was over $3000. The total losses were $58,762; insurance paid on same, $29,548. Freedom from conflagrations was due in some measure to good fortune, but in a greater measure to the efficiency of the fire department under the management of Chief Engineer Harry Morgan.

Following is a detailed list of losses and insurance, kindly furnished by Mr. W. T. Wallace, secretary of the board of fire commissioners:

Jan. 21—Mrs. Smith and others, lodging house, No. 60 A street; loss $1000, no insurance.

Jan. 26—Quinn, Ferguson, Oswald, S[illegible]ntem and McIlhelm, merchants, south side Stark street, bet. First and Second; loss $9131, insurance paid, $2651.

Jan. 27—W. W. Davey, dwelling, cor. East Park and Yamhill; loss $43, insurance paid, $13.

Jan. 29—Mrs. Case, dwelling, 68 N. Fourth street; loss $144, insurance paid, $144.

Feb. 6—H. Maloney, dwelling, South Portland cricket grounds; loss $400, no insurance.

Feb. 20—Miss Berdan, dwelling, southwest cor. Second and Washington; loss $74, insurance paid, $74.

March 26—A. Arfeld, store, 29 N. First street; loss $1266, insurance paid $1266.

April 3—H. Dennison, store, 73 N. Front street; loss $1132, insurance paid, $1132.

April 18—E. McKee, dwelling, Ninth and Yamhill; loss $629, insurance paid, $629.

April 16—Mrs. O'Neil, dwelling, Fourth and F streets; loss $429, insurance paid, $429.

May 5—Geo. Harkness, dwelling, N. Tenth bet. J and K streets; loss $1798, insurance paid, $1798.

May 30—S. Goldman, dwelling, Tenth and Main; loss $1327, insurance paid, $1327.

July 8—A. Kransberry, dwelling First and Lincoln; loss, $400; insurance paid, $400.

July 21—J. Tierney, dwelling, Jefferson and Sixteenth; loss, $523; insurance paid, $423.

July 26—H. W. Davis, dwelling, Fourth and Salmon; loss, $1496; insurance paid, $996.

July 28—C. Wilson, dwelling, Water and Lincoln; loss, $1551; insurance paid, $1551.

July 28—H. Harris, dwelling, Water and Lincoln; loss, $140; insurance paid, $90.

Aug. 30—I. F. Powers, furniture factory, Water bet Montgomery and Morrison; loss $24,775, insurance paid, $10,100.

Aug. 30—Robert Bell, dock, Water bet Montgomery and Mill; loss $7000.

Sept. 5—H. Z. Holmes et al., building and merchandise, 107 First street; $1358, insurance paid, $1358.

Sept. 24—Lai Fong Wo Tai, merchandise, Second bet Taylor and Yamhill; loss $2248, insurance paid, $2248.

Sept. 28—J. Simon et al., hotel, First and C streets; loss $1748, insurance paid, $1748.

Oct. 10—J. M. Birmingham, house store, 41 and 43 First street; loss $1113, insurance paid, $1113.

Nov. 12—Mrs. F. A. Young, store, First and B streets; loss $250, insurance paid, $250.

Dec. 29—Mrs. B. Reynolds and Mrs. Merchant, dwelling, 396 Mill street; loss $950, insurance paid, $950.

Dec. 30—Andrew Kan et al., store, 64 Washington street; loss $600, not adjusted.

High Times at Atlanta.

Chicago Tribune.

The chief of police of Atlanta, Ga., and the associate city editor of the *Constitution* have had a difficulty, and the newspaper man has challenged the official to mortal combat. The two have been arrested, one has been fined $5, the other $10, and comparative peace reigns for the time. The respective titles of the two are Chief Connelly and Col. E. C. Bruffy. In the event of a fight and the slaughter of either of the combatants a title is certain to go under anyhow. The *Constitution*, by the way, is prospering. There are very few newspapers in the country which can employ a colonel as assistant city editor. This implies for the head of the paper nothing short of a major-general.

History to Suit Every Taste.

Dallas (Tex.) News.

The way things are going on a man can soon buy a history of the war to suit his own ideas of how it was conducted. It is generally conceded that the South lost, but fifty or sixty histories credit fifty or sixty different men with the honor of having been the cause of the North's success.

DOMESTIC EXPORTS, 1885.

Quantity and Local Valuation of Domestic Commodities to all Countries and Principal Points During the Year.

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